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1. QUESTION: Modern psychology started during the last century in

A. Germany
B. Britain
C. Russia
D. USA

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Germany

2. QUESTION: First experiment ,ab of psychology was established in

A. France
B. America
C. Germany
D. Japan

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Germany

3. QUESTION: An experimenter investigates test anxiety in military academy cadets by utilizing galvanic skin response measurement. The GSR represents

A. dependent variable and operational definition of anxiety
B. independent variable and operational definition of anxiety
C. intervening variable and operational definition of anxiety
D. only operational definition of anxiety

CORRECT ANSWER IS: dependent variable and operational definition of anxiety

4. QUESTION: The scientific method that is not appropriate for psychology is

A. non-parametic
B. introspection
C. field research
D. parametic statistics

CORRECT ANSWER IS: introspection

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5. QUESTION: The purpose of "Q-technique" is

A. to measure accurate norms of population
B. items analysis in factorial design
C. to measure correlation between X and Y variables
D. to measure a person's opinion of himself

CORRECT ANSWER IS: to measure a person's opinion of himself

6. QUESTION: A researcher wants to test the hypothesis that the number of bystanders affects the probability of helping behavior. She sets up three conditions, one with no bystanders, one with two bystanders and one with four bystanders. Which of the following is true?

A. there is one independent variable having three levels
B. there are three independent variables having one level each
C. there is one independent variable and three dependent variables
D. there is one independent variable having four levels

CORRECT ANSWER IS: there is one independent variable having three levels

7. QUESTION: Identify the pair which represents an incorrect association

A. Wertheimer - trait approach to personality
B. Cattell - factor analysis of personality
C. Johnson - problem solving
D. Osgood - semantic differentials

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Wertheimer - trait approach to personality

8. QUESTION: For best research control of genetic factors, which of the following should be used in experimentation?

A. siblings
B. identical twins
C. factor analysis
D. longitudinal approach

CORRECT ANSWER IS: identical twins

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9. QUESTION: In an experiment, the subject's response is best known as the

A. dependent variable
B. independent variable
C. experimental variable
D. dependent variable

CORRECT ANSWER IS: dependent variable

10. QUESTION: Psychology is concerned with the study of

A. overt behavior only
B. how groups exchange resources
C. mind and behavior
D. how aggregate behavior is specified

CORRECT ANSWER IS: mind and behavior

11. QUESTION: A parapsychologist would study which of the following phenomena?

A. psycho-kinesis
B. procognition
C. telepathy
D. all of the above

CORRECT ANSWER IS: all of the above

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12. QUESTION: Belief in the id would be the _____ view, whereas recording the frequency of acts of aggression would represent the _____ approach.

A. functionalist, structuralist
B. structuralist, a priori
C. structuralist, functionalist
D. gestalt, introspection

CORRECT ANSWER IS: structuralist, functionalist

13. QUESTION: Reviewing existing records to confirm a hypothesis about the behavior of a terrorist is

A. case study
B. survey research
C. archival research
D. field research

CORRECT ANSWER IS: archival research

14. QUESTION: Ernst Weber introduced the notion of

A. physiological zero
B. response bias
C. motion parallax
D. just noticeable difference

CORRECT ANSWER IS: just noticeable difference

15. QUESTION: Everything under the control of the researcher is known as a/an _____ variable. The behavior of the subject is the _____ variable.

A. planned, random
B. dependent, independent
C. dependent, random
D. independent, dependent

CORRECT ANSWER IS: independent, dependent

16. QUESTION: In an experiment studying the effects of different drugs on reaction time, each subject is presented with all of the conditions in the experiment. This is an example of

A. factorial design
B. within subjects design
C. between subjects design
D. quasi-experimental design

CORRECT ANSWER IS: within subjects design

17. QUESTION: Psychology is science of

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A. objective introspection
B. behavior and mental processes
C. inductive reasoning
D. emotions

CORRECT ANSWER IS: behavior and mental processes

18. QUESTION: The function of a theory is to

A. prove a hypothesis
B. establish a law
C. explain and relate observed facts
D. develop the steps to be used in experimentation

CORRECT ANSWER IS: explain and relate observed facts

19. QUESTION: That its finding cannot be checked by other researchers is a criticism frequently leveled at proponents of

A. behaviorism
B. functionalism
C. non-behaviorism
D. introspectionsim

CORRECT ANSWER IS: introspectionsim

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20. QUESTION: A between subjects design is less efficient than a within subjects design because

A. it has more subjects
B. it has less validity
C. it is less reliable
D. it must deal with difference among subjects

CORRECT ANSWER IS: it must deal with difference among subjects

21. QUESTION: If the differential threshold for a standard stimulus of 20 gram is 2 grams, then according to Weber's law, the differential threshold for a stimulus of 50 grams is

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A. 2 grams
B. 3 grams
C. 5 grams
D. 10 grams

CORRECT ANSWER IS: 5 grams

22. QUESTION: Ethologists insist that

A. animals be studied under laboratory conditions
B. the natural environment must be included in an analysis of animal behavior
C. teaching language to chimps is immoral
D. evolution is irrelevant to the study of instincts

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the natural environment must be included in an analysis of animal behavior

23. QUESTION: Which pair represents an incorrect association?

A. Schechter - emotion development
B. Piaget - cognition development
C. Murray - Thematic Appreciation Test (TAT)
D. Seligman - social exchange theory

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Seligman - social exchange theory

24. QUESTION: The statement that characterizes the cognitive-structuralist orientation in developmental psychology is

A. the child is a "blank state"
B. sexual drives play an important role in early development
C. the child is a passive receptor of stimuli
D. the child actively constructs her or his own knowledge

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the child actively constructs her or his own knowledge

25. QUESTION: The statement that best describes the correlation analysis is

A. a measure of causation X and Y
B. a measure of causation between X and Y

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C. a measure of linear association between two characteristics
D. a measure of association between two variables

CORRECT ANSWER IS: a measure of linear association between two characteristics

26. QUESTION: The life history method is a

A. laboratory method
B. field study method
C. latitudinal method
D. longitudinal method

CORRECT ANSWER IS: longitudinal method

27. QUESTION: In ethology, fixed action patterns refer to

A. the way a group of neurons fire
B. limits on an animal's ability to learn
C. instinctive behavior
D. group behavior among humans

CORRECT ANSWER IS: instinctive behavior

28. QUESTION: In an experiment, the control group should be treated in the same way as the experimental group except for

A. completing pretest measures
B. completing posts-test measures
C. receiving different levels of the independent variable
D. receiving different levels of the confounding variable

CORRECT ANSWER IS: receiving different levels of the independent variable

29. QUESTION: With which field of scientific inquiry, the study of psychology is most concerned?

A. the science of philosophy
B. the science of behavior and mental processes
C. the science of developmental processes

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D. the science of emotional and mental processes

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the science of behavior and mental processes

30. QUESTION: The child as a "Tabula Rasa" was first introduced by

A. Freud
B. Hall
C. Locke
D. Rousseau

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Locke

31. QUESTION: Of which school of human behavior, Abraham Maslow is a chief proponent?

A. behaviorist
B. structuralist
C. humanist
D. functionalist

CORRECT ANSWER IS: humanist

32. QUESTION: "Give me a group of infants, and if I could control the world in which they are raised, I could predict which will become doctors and which will become sculptors." This statement is most likely based on

A. the utilization of the methods of classical conditioning
B. the Freudian explanation of human behavior
C. an early behaviorist conception of the nature of human development
D. a functionalistic emphasis on the adaptive nature of behavior

CORRECT ANSWER IS: an early behaviorist conception of the nature of human development

33. QUESTION: With what researchers manipulate to produce effects in experiments

A. subjects
B. dependent variables
C. independent variables
D. test variables

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: independent variables

34. QUESTION: The dual-code hypothesis suggests that

A. abstract information is encoded visually and verbally
B. words which are low in imagery tend to be recalled better than words which are high in imagery
C. concrete information tends to be recalled better than abstract information
D. features lists for a category contain both required and typical features of instances in that category

CORRECT ANSWER IS: concrete information tends to be recalled better than abstract information

35. QUESTION: Structuralism, the first theoretical school in psychology, evolved primary from the work of

A. Wundt
B. Kohler
C. Watson
D. Tolman

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Wundt

36. QUESTION: A psychologist who studies the variables that contribute to effective reading skills is a/an _____ psychologist.

A. applied
B. clinical
C. industrial
D. counselling

CORRECT ANSWER IS: applied

37. QUESTION: A researcher sits besides a playground, carefully observing a small group of children. The method being utilized is

A. field study
B. case history
C. survey
D. life history

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: field study

38. QUESTION: An experimenter who has been carefully trained in the techniques of self-observation uses himself as his object. He attempts to analyze his own immediate experience into its elements. This study would most likely occur in the laboratory of

A. John Watson
B. MaxWertheimer
C. Hermann von Helmholtz
D. Edward Titchener

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Edward Titchener

39. QUESTION: The defining characteristic of random sampling is

A. the sample is a stratified sample
B. the sample is a miniature version of the population
C. each member of the population has an equal chance of being selected for the sample
D. the sample is representative of the population

CORRECT ANSWER IS: each member of the population has an equal chance of being selected for the sample

40. QUESTION: William James, James Cattell, John Dewey and E.L. Thorndike all belonged to which school of thought?

A. Structuralist
B. Behaviorist
C. Gestaltists
D. None of the above

CORRECT ANSWER IS: None of the above

41. QUESTION: Correlation studies

A. indicate causality
B. are more valid than laboratory studies
C. indicate some relationship between two variables
D. involve manipulation of independent variables

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: indicate some relationship between two variables

42. QUESTION: The individual that is correctly matched with his theory is

A. Lewin - field theory
B. James - law of effect theory
C. Wundt - pragmatism theory
D. Freud - personal construct theory

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Lewin - field theory

43. QUESTION: "Give me a child till that child is five years old, and I will make of him anything you want, doctor, lawyer, thief" a likely quote from

A. Thorndike
B. Watson
C. Hull
D. Pavlov

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Watson

44. QUESTION: A research design which contains features of both between-subject and within-subject design is

A. factorial design
B. omnibus design
C. mixed factorial design
D. multiple design

CORRECT ANSWER IS: mixed factorial design

45. QUESTION: Which is not the advantage of field research?

A. "real people" are studies
B. reaction of subjects are more natural
C. behavior is not influenced by the psychologist
D. there is an appropriate control involved

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: there is an appropriate control involved

46. QUESTION: William McDougall

A. criticized the stimulus-response mode of thought
B. criticized the notion of purposive behavior
C. aligned himself with the arguments of Thorndike
D. initiated the work that eventually led to Pavlov's theories

CORRECT ANSWER IS: criticized the stimulus-response mode of thought

47. QUESTION: A behavioral psychologist is interested in the behavior that

A. can be observed
B. the organism chooses to perform
C. can be inferred
D. is part of the conscious experience

CORRECT ANSWER IS: can be observed

48. QUESTION: Sports psychology is concerned with

A. instituting fair rules
B. the dangers of injury
C. improving the players' performance
D. making sure that the game is not beyond the capability of the players

CORRECT ANSWER IS: improving the players' performance

49. QUESTION: In psychology, the correct conception of motivation was first described in terms of instinctive behavior. On whose theory was this concept largely based?

A. Hume
B. Descartes
C. Darwin
D. James

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Darwin

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50. QUESTION: Any procedural variable which can cause a subset of the population to be non-representative of the population is a

A. sample error
B. sample bias
C. population error
D. population bias

CORRECT ANSWER IS: sample bias

51. QUESTION: In a test situation, the examiner wants there to be only one independent variable, the individual being testeD. To ensure this, the examiner administers a/an

A. item analysis
B. factor analysis
C. standardized test
D. individual test

CORRECT ANSWER IS: standardized test

52. QUESTION: The double blind technique refers to a method of experimentation

A. where neither the experimental nor control group know the purpose of the study
B. often used in perceptual research
C. where neither the subject nor the experimenter knows whether the subject is in the experimental or control group
D. involving the absence of sight in both eyes

CORRECT ANSWER IS: where neither the subject nor the experimenter knows whether the subject is in the experimental or control group

53. QUESTION: A researcher wishes to un an experiment, but is concerned that variations in the subjects' intelligence quotients (Iq) might confound the results. All of the following are possible solutions to this problem except for

A. using a matched-subjects design
B. Higher IQ level relatively constant
C. running a double-blind experiment
D. randomly assigning subjects to groups

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: running a double-blind experiment

54. QUESTION: If we want to test our prediction that students who underline chapters as they read retain the information better than those who do not, we would first have to state this prediction that is

A. an experiment
B. a theory
C. a hypothesis
D. a hunch

CORRECT ANSWER IS: a hypothesis

55. QUESTION: Structuralism and functionalism are similar in that both

A. emphasize the analysis of mental structures
B. emphasize the fluid, personal nature of consciousness
C. regard psychology as the science of conscious experience
D. emphasize the observation of behavior rather than consciousness

CORRECT ANSWER IS: regard psychology as the science of conscious experience

56. QUESTION: The clinical interview typically includes

A. a follow up evaluation and assessment after therapy is terminated
B. the initial diagnosis of a client's psychological functioning
C. the psycho physiological assessment
D. the client's initial and final evaluation

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the initial diagnosis of a client's psychological functioning

57. QUESTION: The first step in any research project is generating a

A. theory
B. experiment
C. hypothesis
D. proposition

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: hypothesis

58. QUESTION: A person who tries to lessen tension between management and workers is

A. psychiatrist
B. social psychologist
C. educational psychologist
D. industrial psychologist

CORRECT ANSWER IS: industrial psychologist

59. QUESTION: The principle governing the ethical treatment of human participants in research essentially states that the hazards anticipated in the research project should be not greater than those encountered in daily activities

A. informed consent
B. right to privacy
C. minimal risk
D. informed participants

CORRECT ANSWER IS: minimal risk

60. QUESTION: The ability to exercise precise control over a variable is what distinguishes the _____ method from other methods of scientific observation?

A. randomized selection
B. control group identification
C. experimental
D. hypothesis testing

CORRECT ANSWER IS: experimental

61. QUESTION: The area of applied psychology that is largest in terms of the number of psychologists employed is

A. school
B. community
C. clinical
D. industrial/organizational

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: clinical

62. QUESTION: Contemporary psychology is best defined as the science of

A. conscious and unconscious mental activity
B. observable response to the environment
C. behavior and mental processes
D. thoughts, feelings and perceptions

CORRECT ANSWER IS: behavior and mental processes

63. QUESTION: The school of psychology that argue that nearly all behavior is a result of conditioning and the environment shapes behaviors is labeled

A. gestalt, Wertheimer
B. psychoanalytic, Freud
C. behaviorism, Titchener
D. behaviorism, Watson

CORRECT ANSWER IS: behaviorism, Watson

64. QUESTION: S-R psychology is an approach associated with the "perspective"

A. behavioral
B. psychoanalytic
C. cognitive
D. subjectivist

CORRECT ANSWER IS: behavioral

65. QUESTION: The four main goals of psychological research are

A. description, experimentation, prediction and control
B. description, explanation, assessment and manipulation
C. description, prediction, assessment and manipulation
D. description, explanation, control and validity

CORRECT ANSWER IS: description, experimentation, prediction and control

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66. QUESTION: A hypothesis is

A. the independent variable
B. an explanation of a phenomenon
C. a testable prediction derived from a theory
D. the dependent variable

CORRECT ANSWER IS: a testable prediction derived from a theory

67. QUESTION: The ability to move objects with mental concentration is an example of

A. clairvoyance
B. kinesthesis
C. psychokinesis
D. precognition

CORRECT ANSWER IS: psychokinesis

68. QUESTION: Psychophysics is the study of the relationships between

A. psychology and physics
B. stimuli and physical energies
C. perception and physiological process
D. sensory attributes and physical energy

CORRECT ANSWER IS: psychology and physics

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69. QUESTION: Psychologists who typically apply psychological principles to diagnose and treat emotional problems, including mental illness and martial and family conflict, are in the subfield called

A. biological
B. clinical and counseling
C. social and personality
D. school and educational

CORRECT ANSWER IS: clinical and counseling

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70. QUESTION: A verifiable scientific finding is one that can be

A. observed in real life
B. proven impossible to test
C. replicated with the same result
D. none of these

CORRECT ANSWER IS: replicated with the same result

71. QUESTION: The structuralist school of psychology viewed consciousness as

A. divided into three separate layers
B. a flow of ideas without clear boundaries
C. a collective unit passed down genetically
D. a set of discrete sensations

CORRECT ANSWER IS: a set of discrete sensations

72. QUESTION: Psychologists who are interested in the perception of the motion, part-whole relationships and in how people judge size were identified with what school of psychology?

A. psychoanalytic
B. gestalt
C. biological
D. structural

CORRECT ANSWER IS: gestalt

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73. QUESTION: The cause of abnormal behavior is only

A. psycho model
B. medical model
C. psychosocial
D. none of these

CORRECT ANSWER IS: medical model

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74. QUESTION: The research technique that allows the most control of variables by the experimenter is

A. the survey
B. naturalistic observation
C. the formal experiment
D. the case study

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the formal experiment

75. QUESTION: In order to understand the unusual behavior of an adult client, a clinical psychologist has carefully investigated the client's current life situation and his physical, social and educational history. Which research method has the psychologist employed?

A. the survey
B. the case study
C. experimentation
D. naturalistic observation

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the case study

76. QUESTION: The first task in psychology is to carefully observe and to objectively describe

A. animals
B. behavior
C. social institution
D. symptoms of abnormality

CORRECT ANSWER IS: behavior

77. QUESTION: An independent variable is

A. the only variable of interest
B. a variable that is independently verified
C. a variable whose value depends on that of the dependent variable
D. the variable that is manipulated by experimenter

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the variable that is manipulated by experimenter

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78. QUESTION: Relating overt behavior to electrical and chemical events take place inside the body is characteristic of which contemporary psychological perspective?

A. behavioral
B. subjectivist
C. biological
D. cognitive

CORRECT ANSWER IS: biological

79. QUESTION: A double-blind experimental design is used to minimize

A. cohort effects
B. experimenter bias
C. the halo effect
D. reactance

CORRECT ANSWER IS: experimenter bias

80. QUESTION: The amount of association between two or more variable is

A. correlation
B. naturalistic observation
C. reliability
D. synchronicity

CORRECT ANSWER IS: correlation

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81. QUESTION: Which is not an authentic specialty of American Psychiatric Association?

A. industrial and organizational psychology
B. mental retardation
C. astrological psychology
D. test and measurement

CORRECT ANSWER IS: astrological psychology

82. QUESTION: Consideration of participants in psychological research as _____ in the research enterprise is a central principle of ethical research today.

A. informed participants
B. full partners
C. willing participants
D. co-investigators

CORRECT ANSWER IS: informed participants

83. QUESTION: The statement that psychology is empirical means

A. psychology is different from other sciences
B. the methods of psychology are based on controlled experiments and on observations made with great precision and objectivity
C. scientific psychology originated in Greek and Roman ages
D. psychological principles are based on consensus of scientist

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the methods of psychology are based on controlled experiments and on observations made with great precision and objectivity

84. QUESTION: In psychological research, a _____ is defined as an entity that can occur with different values.

A. hypothesis
B. measurement system
C. theory
D. experimental group

CORRECT ANSWER IS: experimental group

85. QUESTION: Abraham Maslow is well known as

A. a forerunner of the humanistic movement in psychology
B. the creator of cognitive-behavioral therapy
C. the creator of client-centered therapy
D. a forerunner of object-relations theory

CORRECT ANSWER IS: a forerunner of the humanistic movement in psychology

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86. QUESTION: The first psychology laboratory was established in _____ by _____.

A. Russia, Ivan Pavlov
B. Germany, Wilhelm Wundt
C. Austria, Sigmund Freud
D. The United States, William James

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Germany, Wilhelm Wundt

87. QUESTION: The biological and behavioral perspectives are most likely to differ with respect to the issue of

A. nature versus nature
B. rationality versus irrationality
C. observation versus introspection
D. basic versus applied research

CORRECT ANSWER IS: nature versus nature

88. QUESTION: A famous person who insisted that psychology be restricted to observable behavior is

A. Sigmund Freud
B. Carl Rogers
C. Harry Stack Sullivan
D. John B. Watson

CORRECT ANSWER IS: John B. Watson

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89. QUESTION: The discipline that deals with sampling data from a population and then drawing inferences about the population from the sample is

A. hypothesis testing
B. multivariate experimentation
C. statistics
D. independent sampling

CORRECT ANSWER IS: statistics

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90. QUESTION: Gestalt theory emphasized

A. a flow of consciousness
B. our tendency to see patterns
C. the atoms of thought
D. none of these

CORRECT ANSWER IS: our tendency to see patterns

91. QUESTION: A scholarly summary of a body of research on some topic is called

A. case history
B. literature review
C. meta-analysis
D. theory

CORRECT ANSWER IS: literature review

92. QUESTION: Wilhelm Wundt used the research method known as

A. psycholinguistics
B. psychoanalysis
C. introspection
D. massed practice

CORRECT ANSWER IS: introspection

93. QUESTION: A specification of how a researcher measures a dependent variable is known as a/an

A. hypothesis
B. control condition
C. replication
D. operational definition

CORRECT ANSWER IS: operational definition

94. QUESTION: In psychology, case studies are used to

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A. draw conclusions about individual behavior on the basis of group finding
B. draw general conclusions about behavior of the client
C. asses heritability of individual
D. show importance of case study

CORRECT ANSWER IS: draw general conclusions about behavior of the client

95. QUESTION: "Driver attention as a function of car radio sound" is a phrase in which the driver attention aspect represents the

A. intervening variable
B. independent variable
C. dependent variable
D. irrelevant variable

CORRECT ANSWER IS: dependent variable

96. QUESTION: When two variables are correlated, variation in one

A. may possibly cause variation in the other
B. can only be inferred with social validation
C. can the cause of variation in the other only if the correlation is positive
D. always suggests a casual relationship with the other

CORRECT ANSWER IS: may possibly cause variation in the other

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97. QUESTION: The group in experiments which receives no treatment is

A. control group
B. experimental group
C. both of them
D. none of these

CORRECT ANSWER IS: control group

98. QUESTION: In early stages of research, the most efficient way of making progress towards explaining a phenomenon is to

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A. videotape
B. precisely measure
C. survey
D. observe

CORRECT ANSWER IS: survey

99. QUESTION: Psychology has been defined by psychologists as

A. the study of behavior
B. the study of mental activity
C. the science that studies behavior and mental processes
D. all of these

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the science that studies behavior and mental processes

100. QUESTION: Correlation are useful for

A. explaining attitudes
B. predicting behavior
C. discovering the causes of behavior
D. doing all the above

CORRECT ANSWER IS: predicting behavior

101. QUESTION: A researcher would be most likely to discover a positive correlation between

A. self-esteem and depression
B. financial poverty and physical health
C. intelligence and academic success
D. school grades and school absence

CORRECT ANSWER IS: intelligence and academic success

102. QUESTION: A cross-sectional study is one in which

A. the same people are retested over a period of years
B. different age groups are tested at the same time

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C. different characteristics of a given individual are assessed at the same time
D. the behavior of a group is assessed by different researchers

CORRECT ANSWER IS: different age groups are tested at the same time

103. QUESTION: Psychology arose in the nineteenth century from developmental in a number of area, primarily

A. science and culture
B. culture and philosophy
C. science and philosophy
D. philosophy and religion

CORRECT ANSWER IS: science and philosophy

104. QUESTION: Psychological theories

A. explain observed facts
B. organize scientific observation
C. generate hypothesis
D. do all the above

CORRECT ANSWER IS: do all the above

105. QUESTION: Research participants are randomly assigned to different conditions in an experiment in order to

A. reduce the likelihood that participants within any condition know each other
B. increase the likelihood that research participants are representative of people in general
C. reduce the likelihood of any preexisting differences between the groups of participants assigned to the different conditions
D. increase the likelihood that the different experimental conditions have the same number of participants

CORRECT ANSWER IS: reduce the likelihood of any preexisting differences between the groups of participants assigned to the different conditions

106. QUESTION: Psychologists study animals because

A. animal behavior is just as complex as human behavior
B. experiments on people are generally considered to be unethical

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C. the ethical treatment of animals is not mandated by professional guidelines
D. similar processes often underline animal and human behavior

CORRECT ANSWER IS: similar processes often underline animal and human behavior

107. QUESTION: Which psychological perspective would be most likely to emphasize that people can learn to discontinue bad habits such as smoking?

A. biological
B. social-cultural
C. behavioral
D. cognitive

CORRECT ANSWER IS: behavioral

108. QUESTION: Behavior is controlled by _____ according to the theory of dualism.

A. the mind and the brain
B. the heart and the will
C. the body and the soul
D. the brain and the muscles

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the body and the soul

109. QUESTION: In order to assess reactions to a proposed tuition hike at her college, Zahra sent a questionnaire to every fifteenth person In the college registrar's alphabetical listing of all currently enrolled student. Zahra employed the technique of

A. random assignment
B. replication
C. correlation
D. random sampling

CORRECT ANSWER IS: random sampling

110. QUESTION: Experimental groups, treatment groups, and control groups represent ways to _____ outcome variables.

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A. manipulate
B. correlate
C. validate
D. generalize

CORRECT ANSWER IS: validate

111. QUESTION: A hypothesis is a/an

A. observable relationship between specific independent and dependent variables
B. set of principles that organizes and explains newly discovered facts
C. testable prediction that gives direction to research
D. unprovable assumption about the unseen processes that underlie psychological functioning

CORRECT ANSWER IS: testable prediction that gives direction to research

112. QUESTION: In an experimental study of the effects of anxiety on self-esteem, anxiety would be the _____ variable.

A. experimental
B. independent
C. correlational
D. dependent

CORRECT ANSWER IS: independent

113. QUESTION: The most helpful for revealing cause-and-effect relationship is

A. the survey
B. the experiment
C. correlations
D. naturalistic observation

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the experiment

114. QUESTION: In a psychological experiment, the factor that maybe influenced by the manipulated experimental treatment is called the _____ variable.

A. dependent

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B. experimental
C. control
D. independent

CORRECT ANSWER IS: dependent

115. QUESTION: The statement that best characterizes cognitive psychology's approach to mind is

A. cognitive psychologists ignore the mind because they cannot observe it directly
B. facts about the mind are used to make inferences about observable behavior
C. facts about observable behavior are used to make inferences about the mind
D. the mind is considered identical to the brain and it studied through direct measurement of brain activity

CORRECT ANSWER IS: facts about observable behavior are used to make inferences about the mind

116. QUESTION: Which perspective is most concerned with identifying the limits of human reasoning?

A. behavioral
B. cognitive
C. biological
D. social-cultural

CORRECT ANSWER IS: cognitive

117. QUESTION: Which philosophical movement claimed that the human mind consists of elementary ideas that originate from sensory experiences?

A. nativism
B. empiricism
C. dualism
D. interactionism

CORRECT ANSWER IS: empiricism

118. QUESTION: The case study is a research method in which

A. a representative sample of people are questioned regarding their opinions or behaviors
B. an individual is studied in great detail

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C. organisms are carefully observed in their natural environment
D. an investigator manipulates one or more variables that might affect behavior

CORRECT ANSWER IS: an individual is studied in great detail

119. QUESTION: In order to study the effect of loud noise on worker's productivity, researcher had one group of research participants work in a noisy room and a second group in a quiet room. Those who worked in the quiet room were exposed to the _____ condition.

A. experimental
B. case study
C. control
D. dependent variable

CORRECT ANSWER IS: control

120. QUESTION: Watson argued that all behavior is composed of reflexive responses to stimuli, but Skinner later argued that behavior is determined

A. patterns
B. consequences of responses
C. predictability of responses
D. strength of responses

CORRECT ANSWER IS: consequences of responses

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121. QUESTION: After noting that a majority of professional cricketers are from Karachi, selectors concluded that citizens of Karachi are better athletes than members of other cities. Their conclusion best illustrated the danger of

A. replication
B. generalizing from extreme cases
C. the hindsight bias
D. the false consensus effect

CORRECT ANSWER IS: generalizing from extreme cases

122. QUESTION: The psychoanalytic perspective is distinctive because it emphasizes that behavior is influenced by

A. genetics, nutrition and blood chemistry
B. environmental forces
C. unconscious desires and unresolved conflicts
D. a conscious understanding of life circumstances

CORRECT ANSWER IS: unconscious desires and unresolved conflicts

123. QUESTION: Freud's speculations about the existence of an unconscious mind probably arose preliminary as a result of his

A. laboratory observations of human subjects as they dreamed
B. analysis of the relationships between cultural constraints and the behavior of the individual
C. naturalistic observation of people as they interacted with one another
D. interviews with medical patients whose complaints could not be explained physiologically

CORRECT ANSWER IS: interviews with medical patients whose complaints could not be explained physiologically

124. QUESTION: The most foolproof way of testing the true effectiveness of a newly introduced method of psychological therapy is by means of

A. survey research
B. case study research
C. correlation
D. experimental research

CORRECT ANSWER IS: experimental research

125. QUESTION: What was the significance of evidence published by nineteenth-century scientist Paul Broca that loss of ability to speak is linked to damage in a specific area of the brain?

A. it refuted the idea that mental processes interact to produce behavior
B. it supports the idea that only human animals can speaks
C. it suggested the idea that natural division may exist among mental processes
D. it refuted the idea that nonhuman animals are capable of speech

CORRECT ANSWER IS: it suggested the idea that natural division may exist among mental processes

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126. QUESTION: In which type of research a representative sample of people asked to answer questions about their behaviors or opinions?

A. experiment
B. the survey
C. the case study
D. naturalistic observation

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the survey

127. QUESTION: A researcher who administers a personality test to the same children every 3 years as they progress through school is conducting a _____ study.

A. longitudinal
B. sequential
C. cross-sectional
D. chronological

CORRECT ANSWER IS: longitudinal

128. QUESTION: Psychologists who carefully watch the behavior of chimpanzees in the jungle are using research method known as

A. the survey
B. experimentation
C. naturalistic observation
D. the case study

CORRECT ANSWER IS: naturalistic observation

129. QUESTION: The statement that best justifies its status as a science is

A. it answers questions based on the systematic collection and logical analysis of objectively observable data
B. it produces theories about how the mind functions
C. its foundations are rooted in biology
D. it contains theories about the causes of behavior, how the mind functions and the interaction between behavior and the mind

CORRECT ANSWER IS:

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130. QUESTION: Which psychological specialists are most likely to be involved in applied research?

A. industrial/organizational psychologists
B. developmental psychologists
C. personality psychologists
D. biological psychologists

CORRECT ANSWER IS: industrial/organizational psychologists

131. QUESTION: In an experiment, the independent variable is the one that the researcher

A. systematically varies
B. hypothesizes to be affected by another variable
C. must measure
D. b and c

CORRECT ANSWER IS: systematically varies

132. QUESTION: A statistical measure that indicates the extent to which changes in one factor are accompanied by changes in another is called a/an

A. replication
B. independent variable
C. correlation
D. dependent variable

CORRECT ANSWER IS: correlation

133. QUESTION: In the context of Titchener's research for the most elementary sensory experiences, introspection is a research method involving a detailed verbal report on

A. one's own conscious sensory experience
B. how one's own personality affects one's conscious sensory experience
C. how one's own behavior affects one's conscious sensory experience
D. all of the above

CORRECT ANSWER IS: one's own conscious sensory experience

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134. QUESTION: The survey method is most commonly used in

A. correlational studies
B. naturalistic observation
C. case studies
D. experiments

CORRECT ANSWER IS: correlational studies

135. QUESTION: Who was the first of the following individuals to emphasize that psychology should be restricted to the scientific study of observable behavior?

A. Wundt
B. Skinner
C. Bandura
D. Watson

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Watson

136. QUESTION: An awareness of extensive cultural differences in attitudes and values is most helpful for avoiding

A. replication
B. random sampling
C. the hindsight bias
D. the false consensus effect

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the false consensus effect

137. QUESTION: Clinical psychologists are most likely to be involved in

A. assessing the linkages between biology and behavior
B. the experimental study of motivation and emotion
C. the systematic study of how people are influenced by enduring personality traits
D. providing therapy to troubled people

CORRECT ANSWER IS: providing therapy to troubled people

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138. QUESTION: The school of thought that considered psychology as a research for the mind's elementary parts and the laws by which they are combined is

A. Structuralism
B. functionalism
C. both Structuralism and Gestalt psychology
D. both Functionalism and Structuralism

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Structuralism

139. QUESTION: A psychologist wants to determine whether the lighting level in a room affects the performance of students on tests. He has one group of students who take a test in a brightly lit room, and a complete group take the same test in dimly lit room. In this experiment, what are the variable?

A. the bright light is independent variable and the dim light is the dependent variable
B. the level of light is independent variable and the test score is the dependent variable
C. the test score is independent variable and the group of students is the dependent variable
D. the group of students is independent variable and the test score is the dependent variable

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the level of light is independent variable and the test score is the dependent variable

140. QUESTION: If psychologists discovered that wealthy people are less satisfied with their marriages than poor people are, this would indicate that wealth and martial satisfaction are

A. casually related
B. negatively correlated
C. independent variables
D. dependent variables

CORRECT ANSWER IS: negatively correlated

141. QUESTION: Cause is to effect as _____ is to _____

A. prediction, experience
B. correlation, experimentation
C. independent variable, dependent variable
D. control condition, experimental condition

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: independent variable, dependent variable

142. QUESTION: The perception of a relationship between two variables that does not actually exist is called

A. the hindsight bias
B. the false consensus effect
C. an illusion of control
D. illusory correlation

CORRECT ANSWER IS: illusory correlation

143. QUESTION: The key insight that led Wundt into his specific line of experimental research in psychology, was that

A. specific part of the brain serve specific psychological functions
B. any mental process takes some finite amount of time
C. behavioral processes have come about through a long period of evolution by natural selection
D. through careful training in introspection, people can objectively evaluate their own psychological experience.

CORRECT ANSWER IS: any mental process takes some finite amount of time

144. QUESTION: The first school of psychology is

A. structuralism
B. behaviorism
C. gestalt school
D. functionalism

CORRECT ANSWER IS: structuralism

145. QUESTION: Prediction is to _____ as explanation is to _____

A. case study, survey
B. correlation, experimentation
C. random assignment, random sampling
D. independent variable, dependent variable

CORRECT ANSWER IS: correlation, experimentation

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146. QUESTION: Which reason method would be most appropriate for investigating the relationship between the religious beliefs of Pakistanis and their attitudes towards terrorism?

A. the survey
B. naturalistic observation
C. the case study
D. experimentation

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the survey

147. QUESTION: If psychology can be defined as the science of behavior and the mind, why are the data in psychology always drawn from behavior?

A. behavior can be influenced by physiology and the mind cannot
B. behavior can be influenced by the environment and the mind cannot
C. behavior can be observed and the mind cannot
D. All of above

CORRECT ANSWER IS: behavior can be observed and the mind cannot

148. QUESTION: An experiment psychology lab was first established in 1879 by

A. Rene Descartes
B. William James
C. Sigmund Freud
D. None of the above

CORRECT ANSWER IS: None of the above

149. QUESTION: The specialist most likely to prescribe a drug for the treatment of psychological disorder is

A. developmental psychologist
B. clinical psychologist
C. psychiatrist
D. personality psychologist

CORRECT ANSWER IS: psychiatrist

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150. QUESTION: One of the Darwin's key ideas is that, because of natural selection, animals have an inborn tendency to behave in ways that

A. require the lowest energy expenditure
B. they individually select from various natural alternative
C. they learn from their parents
D. help them to survive and reproduce

CORRECT ANSWER IS: help them to survive and reproduce

151. QUESTION: One of the major goals of humanistic therapy is to aid the individual in developing

A. stable family relations
B. unconscious thought processes
C. strong ego defenses
D. positive self-concepts

CORRECT ANSWER IS: positive self-concepts

152. QUESTION: A researcher has two groups of subjects, one that has been taught a problem-solving technique and one that has not. Both groups are given a set of ten problems to solve in twenty minutes. What is the depend variable

A. the set of problems that subjects are given
B. the number of correct solutions subjects give to the problems
C. whether or not subjects have been taught the problem-solving technique
D. there is no dependent variable in this study

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the number of correct solutions subjects give to the problems

153. QUESTION: A laboratory study is a study in which

A. self-report data are collected
B. inferential statistics are used
C. data are collected from subjects under uniform, controlled conditions
D. manipulation of independent variable

CORRECT ANSWER IS: data are collected from subjects under uniform, controlled conditions

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154. QUESTION: A psychologist is testing the effectiveness of a weight loss program. One group receives a diet and a specific counseling program. Another group receives the same diet and speaks to the counselors regularly but does not receive the specific counseling program. Subjects are weighed weekly for 6 months. What is the dependent variable

A. whether or not subjects receive the counseling program
B. the 6-month period of the program
C. average weekly weight loss
D. type of counseling program

CORRECT ANSWER IS: whether or not subjects receive the counseling program

155. QUESTION: Charles Darwin's concept of natural selection is most important for which of the following general perspectives in psychology?

A. functionalism
B. structuralism
C. reflexology
D. psychoanalysis

CORRECT ANSWER IS: functionalism

156. QUESTION: Information-processing theorists belong to

A. psychoanalysts
B. behavioral psychologists
C. cognitive psychologists
D. functionalists

CORRECT ANSWER IS: cognitive psychologists

157. QUESTION: The assumption about human nature that is not central to the humanistic psychology of Carl Rogers and Abraham Maslow is

A. authority figures in a child's life play a critical role in the development of the child's self-esteem
B. people engage in creative activity to help themselves satisfy basic needs that humans share with other animals
C. people are innately motivated to engage in activities aimed at improving the happiness and quality of life of themselves and others

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D. the origin of many psychological problems lies in a belief that one has no control over one's life and that one is not worthy of respect or love

CORRECT ANSWER IS: people engage in creative activity to help themselves satisfy basic needs that humans share with other animals

158. QUESTION: A psychologist interested in the effect of music on concentration gives three similar groups of subjects a task requiring concentration and has each group listen to a different type of music during the task. The psychologist in conducting

A. an experiment
B. a correlational study
C. a descriptive study
D. a self-report study

CORRECT ANSWER IS: an experiment

159. QUESTION: Teacher carefully monitors and records the behaviors of children on school playgrounds in order to track the developmental of their physical skills. He is most clearly engaged in

A. survey research
B. naturalistic observation
C. experimentation
D. replication

CORRECT ANSWER IS: naturalistic observation

160. QUESTION: A psychologist expects that rats raised in toy-filled cages will become better learner. This expectation of him is

A. research hypothesis
B. observer expectancy effect
C. independent variable
D. and inferential statistics

CORRECT ANSWER IS: research hypothesis

161. QUESTION: For which school of thought was psychology decidedly not the science of the mind?

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A. structuralism
B. behaviorism
C. Gestalt psychology
D. psychoanalysis

CORRECT ANSWER IS: behaviorism

162. QUESTION: The most distinctive aspect of Freud's theory of psychoanalysis is the belief that the conscious mind is influenced by

A. innate factors
B. learning and experience
C. external stimuli
D. unconscious thought processes

CORRECT ANSWER IS: unconscious thought processes

163. QUESTION: A cognitive psychologist might argue that the structure of basic cognitive processes (such as memory) is similar in all humans, so it is not necessary to compare people from different cultures in order to understand how the mind works. A cultural psychologist might criticize this assertion by pointing out that

A. knowledge accumulates in a society over time and influences thinking
B. through social interaction with adults, children learn to think in ways that adults in their cultural think
C. language and emotional experience, which vary across cultures, strongly influence cognitive processes
D. all of the above

CORRECT ANSWER IS: all of the above

164. QUESTION: Which of the following would contemporary psychologists be most likely to choose as the main limitation of introspection as a data-collection technique?

A. its data are not available to an outside observer
B. it requires enormous skill, which few psychologists have mastered
C. its data pertain to the mind and may have nothing to do with behavior
D. because of its potential dangers, its ethics have been questioned

CORRECT ANSWER IS: its data are not available to an outside observer

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165. QUESTION: Wundt's search for elementary mental processes that combine to produce complex mental processes led to which of the following schools of thought?

A. functionalism
B. behaviorism
C. psychoanalysis
D. structuralism

CORRECT ANSWER IS: structuralism

166. QUESTION: In a study of the effects of alcohol consumption, some participants drank a nonalcoholic beverage that actually smelled and tested like alcohol. This nonalcoholic drink was a

A. replication
B. placebo
C. random sample
D. double blind

CORRECT ANSWER IS: placebo

167. QUESTION: The double blind procedure is most likely to be utilized in

A. the survey method
B. the case-study method
C. calculating correlations
D. experimental research

CORRECT ANSWER IS: experimental research

168. QUESTION: The various groups that participate in an experiment will necessarily differ with respect to their

A. dependent variable
B. independent variable
C. either a or b
D. none of them

CORRECT ANSWER IS: independent variable

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169. QUESTION: John B. Watson is typically called as S-R psychologist. How does this label not fit B.F. Skinner?

A. Skinner postulated the existence of an intervening variable, O (for the characteristics of the organism), between the stimulus, S and the response, R
B. Skinner was not interested in stimuli, but only in responses and their consequences
C. Skinner rejected the notion that human behavior is fundamentally similar to animal behavior
D. Skinner rejected the notion that all human behavior consists of reflexes

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Skinner rejected the notion that all human behavior consists of reflexes

170. QUESTION: A psychologist strongly influenced by Darwin's theory of evolution would probably tend to be most attracted to

A. Structuralism
B. Gestalt psychology
C. Functionalism
D. Cognitive psychology

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Functionalism

171. QUESTION: In an experiment, the variable hypothesize to be the cause is called _____ and the variable hypothesized to be effected is called _____.

A. the independent variable, the dependent variable
B. the dependent variable, the independent variable
C. the experimental variable, the independent variable
D. the constant, the variable

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the independent variable, the dependent variable

172. QUESTION: In _____, the researcher systematically varies _____

A. an experiment, the independent variable
B. an experiment, the dependent variable
C. a correlation study, the independent variable
D. a correlation study' the dependent variable

CORRECT ANSWER IS: an experiment, the independent variable

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173. QUESTION: When cognitive psychologists talk about understanding the mind, they are usually talking about something similar to

A. tracing to wiring of a complicated switchboard
B. understanding the hardware of a computer
C. specifying the steps of a computer programme
D. identifying the responses produced by each of the controls on a car's dashboard, without being concerned about the internal mechanisms that mediate responses

CORRECT ANSWER IS:

174. QUESTION: In second half of the twentieth century, which development contributed most to the cognitive revolution in psychology?

A. philosophy of brain
B. Darwin's theory
C. increased understand and use of computers
D. both a and b

CORRECT ANSWER IS: increased understand and use of computers

175. QUESTION: Social psychology is the study of

A. how the behavior of individuals is influenced by others
B. how the behavior of groups is influenced by their cultural heritage
C. how the behavior of individuals in influenced by the their cultural heritage
D. all of the above

CORRECT ANSWER IS: how the behavior of individuals is influenced by others

176. QUESTION: Cognitive psychology should be considered

A. a specialized approach to human psychology that excludes ideas and methods from other disciplines
B. a branch of linguistics rather than a field of psychology
C. a constellation of approaches unified by the attempt to explain behavior in terms of mental structures and processes
D. the study of conscious mental experience through the technique of introspection

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: a constellation of approaches unified by the attempt to explain behavior in terms of mental structures and processes

177. QUESTION: The statement that is true for Watson's and Skinner's version of behaviorism is

A. both theorists were extremely cautious about the nature and implications of their understanding of behavior
B. both theorists studied animal behavior and believed that the S-R relationship held only for nonhuman animals
C. both theorists argued that unobservable events or mediating concepts, such as ideas or needs are not useful as explanatory constructs in psychology
D. both theorists saw all behavior as the result of innate reflexes that are lawfully related

CORRECT ANSWER IS: both theorists argued that unobservable events or mediating concepts, such as ideas or needs are not useful as explanatory constructs in psychology

178. QUESTION: A study in which relationship is find between two variables without manipulating them

A. a descriptive study
B. an experiment
C. a correlation study
D. a double-blind study

CORRECT ANSWER IS: a correlation study

179. QUESTION: The dominant approach in psychology today is

A. physiological psychology
B. cognitive psychology
C. ethnology
D. behaviorism

CORRECT ANSWER IS: cognitive psychology

180. QUESTION: The most direct way to test a hypothesis about a cause-effect relationship is

A. a correlational study
B. a descriptive study
C. an experiment
D. a self-report

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: an experiment

181. QUESTION: The statement that best represents Freud's psychoanalytic theory is

A. the split between the conscious and unconscious mind is a serious mental disorder
B. unconscious thoughts and wishes are often unacceptable to the conscious mind
C. the unconscious mind is the black slate on whish the conscious mind takes shape
D. psychoanalysis is an objective means of drawing inferences about the mind from observations of behavior

CORRECT ANSWER IS: unconscious thoughts and wishes are often unacceptable to the conscious mind

182. QUESTION: A researcher finds out the relationship between parents' discipline style and behavioral characteristics of children. This is

A. an experiment
B. a descriptive study
C. a correlation study
D. a self-report study

CORRECT ANSWER IS: a correlation study

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183. QUESTION: The term 'cognition' means

A. free will
B. knowledge
C. observation
D. objectivity

CORRECT ANSWER IS: knowledge

184. QUESTION: Which branch of psychology is defined as an effort to understand the specific biological mechanisms that control behavior and psychological experience?

A. ethnology
B. neuropsychology
C. physiological psychology
D. structuralism

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: physiological psychology

185. QUESTION: _____ were major figures in behaviorism.

A. John B. Watson and B.F. Skinner
B. Jean Piaget and John B. Watson
C. Noam Chomsky and Jean Piaget
D. B.F. Skinner and Noam Chomsky

CORRECT ANSWER IS: John B. Watson and B.F. Skinner

186. QUESTION: Jean Piaget, contributed generally to cognitive psychology through his accounts of

A. animal behavior in the natural environment
B. intellectual development in children
C. the mental rules underlying languages use
D. information processing in computers

CORRECT ANSWER IS: intellectual development in children

187. QUESTION: The school of thought which restricted psychology's subject matter to the observable actions of people and other animals is

A. Structuralism
B. physiological psychology
C. behaviorism
D. ethnology

CORRECT ANSWER IS: behaviorism

188. QUESTION: Freud's most important contribution was

A. his demonstration that human beings are not driven by sexual and aggressive instincts, as had been suggested by Darwin
B. the integration of the concepts of structuralism and functionalism into a single theory
C. his concepts of the unconscious mind
D. the development of rigorous experimental procedures to test his theory

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: his concepts of the unconscious mind

189. QUESTION: The major advantage of a laboratory study over a field study is that

A. the laboratory provides an artificial environment
B. the laboratory provides a controlled environment
C. the laboratory provides a secure environment
D. the laboratory can duplicate the subject's natural development

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the laboratory provides a controlled environment

190. QUESTION: A psychologist systematically observes and records the behavior of children on their first trip to a dentists' office. This is

A. an experiment
B. a correlational study
C. a descriptive study
D. a self-report study

CORRECT ANSWER IS: a descriptive study

191. QUESTION: The study of the role of the specific areas of the nervous system in organizing and controlling behavior that is specifically human is called

A. comparative psychology
B. clinical psychology
C. physiological psychology
D. neuropsychology

CORRECT ANSWER IS: neuropsychology

192. QUESTION: Noam Chomsky argued that language must be understood not in terms of stimulus-response chains but in terms of mental rules that are in part wired into the brain as a result of evolution. His position is, most explicitly, an attack on

A. cognitive psychology
B. behavioral psychology

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C. physiological psychology
D. Gestalt psychology

CORRECT ANSWER IS: behavioral psychology

193. QUESTION: A psychologist tends to nod slightly to the male interviewees when expressing approval of violent behaviors than female interviewees. The result of study will reflect

A. observer-expectancy effect
B. subject-expectancy effect
C. double-blind effect
D. bias effect

CORRECT ANSWER IS: observer-expectancy effect

194. QUESTION: A psychologist is testing the effectiveness of a program to help people stop smoking. One group uses a nonprescription drug. A comparable group receives something that is exactly like the drug but lacks the active ingredient. Subjects are asked to record the number of cigarettes smoked daily for three months. What is the dependent variable?

A. whether or not subjects receive the real drug
B. the three-month period that the program lasts
C. average daily number of cigarettes daily smoked
D. the initial degree of addiction

CORRECT ANSWER IS: average daily number of cigarettes daily smoked

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195. QUESTION: What led Sigmund Freud to the ideas that formed the foundation of psychoanalysis?

A. Freud was a physician who drew his insights from work in the laboratory where he studied the intricacies of the human brain
B. Freud was a physician who treated many patients who seemed to suffer from disturbing, buried memories rather than truly physical ailments
C. Freud was a university professor who produced this insight not on the basis of firsthand experience but rather from board reading
D. Freud was a university professor who tested a wide range of individuals drawn from Viennese society and was struck by the differences between their public and private selves

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Freud was a physician who treated many patients who seemed to suffer from disturbing, buried memories rather than truly physical ailments

196. QUESTION: This is not an example of naturalistic observation.

A. Watching worker on an assembly line in factory
B. affect of music tempo on consumption of alcohol
C. determining relationship between high school S.A.T scores and college grade-point averages
D. depriving rats of water and determining their activity

CORRECT ANSWER IS: determining relationship between high school S.A.T scores and college grade-point averages

197. QUESTION: The German word "Gestalt" means

A. random combination
B. whole form
C. conscious perception
D. unconscious illusion

CORRECT ANSWER IS: whole form

198. QUESTION: The one characteristic typical of all psychological tests is

A. naturalistic observation
B. naturally occurring behavior measurement
C. artificial behavior measurement
D. presentation of stimulus and recording the response

CORRECT ANSWER IS: presentation of stimulus and recording the response

199. QUESTION: Wilhelm Wundt is credited as the founder of scientific psychology because

A. he invented the term
B. he was the first to conduct psychological research
C. he published the first textbook that defined psychology as a science and opened the first university-based psychology laboratory
D. he was the first theorist to consider the role of psychology in psychological processes

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: he published the first textbook that defined psychology as a science and opened the first university-based psychology laboratory

200. QUESTION: If someone already spreads the rumor about an experiment for being assessment of racist attitudes and the subjects then take care of not showing racist attitudes. The result of experiment will be

A. invalid
B. biased
C. error
D. unreliable

CORRECT ANSWER IS: biased

201. QUESTION: A psychologist concerned with worker productivity with increased changing office layout is involved in

A. applied research
B. basic research
C. clinical research
D. developmental research

CORRECT ANSWER IS: applied research

202. QUESTION: The approach that suggest behavior is influenced by unconscious is

A. humanism
B. interactive dualism
C. phenomenology
D. psychoanalysis

CORRECT ANSWER IS: psychoanalysis

203. QUESTION: This is not the characteristic attributed to consciousness by William James

A. stability
B. personal
C. continuous
D. selective

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: stability

204. QUESTION: Galton's major contribution to psychology was his

A. theory of infantile sexuality
B. focus on individual differences
C. creation of standardized measures of intelligence
D. explanation of the phi-phenomenon

CORRECT ANSWER IS: focus on individual differences

205. QUESTION: Introspection technique is based upon

A. survey methodology
B. experimentation
C. self-examination of mental processes
D. the study of observable behavior

CORRECT ANSWER IS: self-examination of mental processes

206. QUESTION: A double-blind study protects against

A. placebo effect
B. observer-expectancy effect
C. both a and b
D. neither a nor b

CORRECT ANSWER IS: both a and b

207. QUESTION: An experimenter accepts the null hypothesis when it is false. Which of the following is true?

A. She has made a Type I error
B. She has made a Type II error
C. her results were statistically significant
D. the criterion of significance was too large

CORRECT ANSWER IS: She has made a Type II error

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208. QUESTION: Humanistic approach to psychology was founded by

A. Wundt and James
B. Rogers and Maslow
C. Watson and Skinner
D. Freud and Jung

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Rogers and Maslow

209. QUESTION: The procedure of outlying an experimental problem

A. operational design
B. experimental design
C. hypothetical construct
D. logical construct

CORRECT ANSWER IS: experimental design

210. QUESTION: To say that 'psychology is a science' means that

A. psychologists only study observable behaviors
B. psychologists approach the study of thoughts and actions
C. psychological research is free from value judgments
D. all of the above

CORRECT ANSWER IS: psychologists approach the study of thoughts and actions

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211. QUESTION: In a double blind experiment,

A. neither subjects nor researchers know which group received which level of independent variable
B. nobody knows the level of independent variable
C. the subjects do not know which group received which level of independent variable
D. neither subjects nor researchers know which group received which level of dependent variable

CORRECT ANSWER IS: neither subjects nor researchers know which group received which level of independent variable

212. QUESTION: The perspective that emphasizes observable responses is

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A. behavioral
B. social-cultural
C. neuroscience
D. cognitive

CORRECT ANSWER IS: behavioral

213. QUESTION: The researcher who studied gorillas in their own environment, is an example of

A. experimentation
B. participant observation
C. case history
D. naturalistic observation

CORRECT ANSWER IS: naturalistic observation

214. QUESTION: _____ psychologists work to improve the efficiency of people in business

A. cognitive
B. developmental
C. industrial/organizational
D. psychological

CORRECT ANSWER IS: industrial/organizational

215. QUESTION: A sample which is not really representative of the population is

A. nonsignificant
B. biased
C. partial
D. blind

CORRECT ANSWER IS: biased

216. QUESTION: Five hundred undergraduates were asked to report their favorite television show from list of 100 different shows. The scale that best organize the data is

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A. ordinal
B. interval
C. F-scale
D. normal

CORRECT ANSWER IS: normal

217. QUESTION: A research is conducted on measuring the impact of absence of mother on children who is asked to explore his room. Exploration time is _____ and absence of mother is _____.

A. independent, independent
B. dependent, dependent
C. independent, dependent
D. dependent, independent

CORRECT ANSWER IS: dependent, independent

218. QUESTION: Introspection is

A. method used to study dreams
B. technique where patient gives a running account of internal dialogues
C. process used to uncover representation in dreams
D. the analysis of the contents of our own thoughts

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the analysis of the contents of our own thoughts

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219. QUESTION: If 15 women have to run in the sports complex and 15 men have to run in the library (each 100 yard dash) during an experiment to measure faster sprinter and women run faster than men. The most justified criticism is

A. the number of subjects is too small
B. the sample of subjects were biased
C. the race was short
D. the measure was not reliable

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the sample of subjects were biased

220. QUESTION: The objectivity of science lies in

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A. avoidance of prejudices of society
B. the choice of questions studied
C. the methodology
D. all of these

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the methodology

221. QUESTION: A significant contribution of the _____ approach was the emphasis placed on measurable observations

A. humanist
B. gestalt
C. psychoanalytic
D. behaviorist

CORRECT ANSWER IS: behaviorist

222. QUESTION: The psychological perspective that emphasizes on how observable responses are learned is the _____ perspective.

A. behavioral
B. behavior genetics
C. cognitive
D. evolutionary

CORRECT ANSWER IS: behavioral

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223. QUESTION: Which psychologist will be helpful in order to build a spirit of teamwork in the workers of an office?

A. personality psychologist
B. educational psychologist
C. clinical psychologist
D. developmental psychologist

CORRECT ANSWER IS: personality psychologist

224. QUESTION: The subject concerned with studying human behavior in workplace is

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A. clinical psychology
B. personality psychology
C. industrial/organizational psychology
D. psychiatry

CORRECT ANSWER IS: industrial/organizational psychology

225. QUESTION: As a person caloric intake increases, his weight gain also increases. This is an example of

A. case history
B. correlation
C. negative correlation
D. positive correlation

CORRECT ANSWER IS: positive correlation

226. QUESTION: A psychologist studied a gunshot wound victim and found out that brain region destroyed is most important for memory functions. The research is

A. case study
B. survey
C. correlational
D. experimental

CORRECT ANSWER IS: case study

227. QUESTION: A professor used the sample of students who received A and measures the value that her students regarded to her subject. The problem with this technique is

A. observer-expectancy effect
B. subject-expectancy effect
C. biased sample
D. unreliable instrument

CORRECT ANSWER IS: biased sample

228. QUESTION: A/an _____ is an educated prediction about the answer to our research question

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A. hypothesis
B. belief
C. assumption
D. guess

CORRECT ANSWER IS: hypothesis

229. QUESTION: As study time increases, a student's tendency to make errors on math decreases. This is an example of

A. case history
B. correlation
C. negative correlation
D. positive correlation

CORRECT ANSWER IS: negative correlation

230. QUESTION: Two historical roots of psychology are

A. philosophy and chemistry
B. philosophy and physiology
C. Physiology and chemistry
D. Physiology and physics

CORRECT ANSWER IS: philosophy and physiology

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231. QUESTION: In an experiment to determine the effects of exercise on motivation, exercise s the

A. control condition
B. intervening variable
C. independent variable
D. dependent variable

CORRECT ANSWER IS: independent variable

232. QUESTION: The subject mater of psychology is best described as

A. perceptions. Behavior, mental health
B. effect, behavior, cognition

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C. thoughts, feelings, sensations
D. behavior, cognition, perception

CORRECT ANSWER IS: effect, behavior, cognition

233. QUESTION: Behavior' is best defined as

A. anything a person does or feels
B. any action we can observe and record
C. any action, whether observable or not
D. anything we can infer from a person's action

CORRECT ANSWER IS: any action we can observe and record

234. QUESTION: Your belief in a research is _____ and your research prediction is _____

A. hypothesis, theory
B. theory, hypothesis
C. independent variable, dependent variable
D. dependent variable, independent variable

CORRECT ANSWER IS: theory, hypothesis

235. QUESTION: In order to determine the effects to a new drug on memory, one group is given a pill that contains drug and other group is given a pill that contains no drug. Other group is

A. random group
B. experimental group
C. control group
D. test group

CORRECT ANSWER IS: control group

236. QUESTION: This is not an ethical issue

A. the right to privacy
B. psychological harm
C. use of deception

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D. invalid instruments in data gathering

CORRECT ANSWER IS: invalid instruments in data gathering

237. QUESTION: The research method responsible for most of our knowledge in psychology is

A. experiment
B. case history
C. correlation
D. survey

CORRECT ANSWER IS: experiment

238. QUESTION: Experimental research is used to fine

A. correlation
B. hypothesis
C. theories
D. cause-and-effect relationship

CORRECT ANSWER IS: cause-and-effect relationship

239. QUESTION: A couple having marital difficulties would seek help from

A. health psychologist
B. social psychologist
C. clinical psychologist
D. counseling psychologist

CORRECT ANSWER IS: counseling psychologist

240. QUESTION: Dependent variable is one that researcher

A. hypothesizes will effect other variable
B. measures to determine whether is effect by independent variable
C. holds constant
D. systematically varies

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: measures to determine whether is effect by independent variable

241. QUESTION: A research is conducted on measuring the visual development of kittens by their ability to negotiate a visual maze. Some kittens are raised in normal light and others are kept light depriveD. In this experiment, various light condition would be the

A. dependent variable
B. independent variable
C. extraneous variable
D. effect

CORRECT ANSWER IS: independent variable

242. QUESTION: An experiment is conducted for measuring the effect of noise on conducting test. Temperature and lightening is same. Independent variable is

A. noise
B. scores on test
C. temperature
D. lighting

CORRECT ANSWER IS: noise

243. QUESTION: The whole is more than the sum of its parts' the approach that most associate with this statement is

A. Humanism
B. Psychoanalysis
C. Gestalt
D. Structuralism

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Gestalt

244. QUESTION: Theorists that believed that mind the body are separate entities

A. behaviorists
B. monists
C. dualists
D. Freudians

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: dualists

245. QUESTION: This is not a basic research strategy

A. description
B. replication
C. experimentation
D. correlation

CORRECT ANSWER IS: replication

246. QUESTION: A psychologist that has a job to teach smoking cessation classes to employees is

A. health psychologist
B. educational psychologist
C. clinical psychologist
D. counseling psychologist

CORRECT ANSWER IS: educational psychologist

247. QUESTION: The first psychology laboratory was established in the year

A. 1879
B. 1900
C. 1890
D. 1913

CORRECT ANSWER IS: 1879

248. QUESTION: Interactive dualism was founded by

A. Locke
B. Descartes
C. Darwin
D. Von Helmholtz

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Descartes

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249. QUESTION: The group that perceives the treatment of interest in experiment is

A. test condition
B. random sample
C. experimental condition
D. control condition

CORRECT ANSWER IS: experimental condition

250. QUESTION: Philosopher who believed that mind is black at birth and that most knowledge comes through sensory experience is

A. Plato
B. Aristotle
C. Descartes
D. Locke

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Locke

251. QUESTION: The major advantage of field study over laboratory study is

A. less distortion of subject's behavior
B. produce quantifiable data
C. greater control over the variables
D. offer uniform conditions

CORRECT ANSWER IS: less distortion of subject's behavior

252. QUESTION: One advantage of using animals for research is that

A. no worries about ethical consideration
B. not cost much
C. easy to control extraneous variables
D. baselines measures are easier

CORRECT ANSWER IS: easy to control extraneous variables

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253. QUESTION: The procedure that ensures that experimental and control group do not differ in any way that might effect experimental result is called

A. variable controlling
B. random assignment
C. representative sampling
D. stratification

CORRECT ANSWER IS: random assignment

254. QUESTION: If a person feels tense or anxious without any reason he must concern with _____ psychologist

A. industrial/organizational
B. clinical
C. personality
D. biological

CORRECT ANSWER IS: clinical

255. QUESTION: Today, psychology is a discipline that

A. connects with a diversity of other fields
B. is independent of other fields
C. is focused primarily on basic research
D. is focused on applied research

CORRECT ANSWER IS: connects with a diversity of other fields

256. QUESTION: To quantify as a science, a discipline must

A. posses an organized body of knowledge and use of scientific methodology
B. formulate hypothesis and test theories
C. concerned with inanimate objects such as chemical reactions
D. based on thoughts and theories of great scientists

CORRECT ANSWER IS: posses an organized body of knowledge and use of scientific methodology

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257. QUESTION: In which type of research, one factor is manipulated to observe its effect on some behavior?

A. survey
B. case study
C. experimentation
D. naturalistic observation

CORRECT ANSWER IS: experimentation

258. QUESTION: In generalizing from a sample to population, it is important that

A. the sample be representative
B. the sample be nonrandom
C. all of the above are true
D. the sample not to be too large

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the sample be representative

259. QUESTION: A _____ is a tentative explanation of a phenomenon that can tested and then supported or rejected

A. law
B. theory
C. scientific principle
D. hypothesis

CORRECT ANSWER IS: hypothesis

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260. QUESTION: The philosopher who believed that some ideas are innate

A. Aristotle
B. Plato
C. Descartes
D. Locke

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Descartes

261. QUESTION: Ali has participated in an experiment in which neither he nor the experimenter knows whether or not the pills he takes during the experiment contain aspirin. This investigation is making use of

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A. random sampling
B. the double-blind procedure
C. replication
D. the false consensus effect

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the double-blind procedure

262. QUESTION: In an experiment to study the effect of lighting on mood, the independent variable is

A. number of subjects
B. student's responses
C. the room lighting
D. subject matter of the questions asked

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the room lighting

263. QUESTION: Psychologists who study, asses and treat troubles people are called

A. basic researchers
B. applied psychologists
C. clinical psychologists
D. psychiatrists

CORRECT ANSWER IS: clinical psychologists

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264. QUESTION: The divisions of the peripheral nervous system are the

A. CNS and PNS
B. somatic and visceral
C. somatic and autonomic
D. visceral and central

CORRECT ANSWER IS: somatic and autonomic

265. QUESTION: Body metabolism is a key function to

A. pituitary gland

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B. adrenal gland
C. thyroid gland
D. pineal gland

CORRECT ANSWER IS: thyroid gland

266. QUESTION: _____ is the cerebral 'alarm clock' which selectively filters incoming stimuli

A. medulla
B. cerebellum
C. limbic system
D. reticular formation

CORRECT ANSWER IS: reticular formation

267. QUESTION: The neurotransmitters basic to synaptic transmission are stored in

A. vesicles
B. end plates
C. receptors
D. dendrites

CORRECT ANSWER IS: vesicles

268. QUESTION: The ____ is associated with the hypothalamus.

A. refined body movements
B. spatial perception
C. long-term planning
D. homeostatic regulation

CORRECT ANSWER IS: homeostatic regulation

269. QUESTION: Spinal nerves belong to the

A. peripheral nervous system
B. central nervous system
C. antagonistic nervous system

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D. residual nervous system

CORRECT ANSWER IS: peripheral nervous system

270. QUESTION: The myelin sheath serves to

A. break down epinephrine
B. bypass the nodes of Ranvier
C. decrease the speed of natural transmission
D. increase the speed of natural transmission

CORRECT ANSWER IS: increase the speed of natural transmission

271. QUESTION: The _____ gland is an endocrine gland controlling growth and stimulating other endocrine glands.

A. pituitary
B. adrenal
C. thyroid
D. parathyroid

CORRECT ANSWER IS: pituitary

272. QUESTION: The frontal lobes are most likely to be highly active during

A. auditory perception
B. abstract problem solving
C. visual perception
D. walking

CORRECT ANSWER IS: abstract problem solving

273. QUESTION: The researcher stimulates the lateral area of the rat's hypothalamus. The resulting behavioral outcome is

A. overeating
B. sexual arousal
C. hyperactivity
D. onset of sleep

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: overeating

274. QUESTION: The fact that, during neural transmission, an impulse is sent to the end of the axon without fading or weakening is known as

A. stimulus constancy
B. absolute threshold retention
C. nondecremental property
D. all-or-none property

CORRECT ANSWER IS: nondecremental property

275. QUESTION: What best characterizes the difference between the sympathetic and parasympathetic nervous system?

A. energy expenditure vs energy conservation
B. voluntary movements vs involuntary movements
C. peripheral nervous system vs somatic nervous system
D. sensory neurons vs afferent nerve fibers

CORRECT ANSWER IS: energy expenditure vs energy conservation

276. QUESTION: When researcher stimulated an animal's limbic system, the net outcome effect was

A. pleasure
B. aggression
C. maternal behavior
D. hyperactivity

CORRECT ANSWER IS: pleasure

277. QUESTION: In a right-handed individual, where is a Broca's area most likely to be located?

A. right hemisphere
B. limbic system
C. visual cortex
D. left hemisphere

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: left hemisphere

278. QUESTION: Comparatively speaking, _____ has the most prominent cerebral cortex.

A. alligator
B. pigeon
C. dog
D. rabbit

CORRECT ANSWER IS: dog

279. QUESTION: The lobes of the brain located in the back of the head are

A. temporal lobes
B. occipital lobes
C. parietal lobes
D. frontal lobes

CORRECT ANSWER IS: occipital lobes

280. QUESTION: The brain structure that plays a critical role in 'motivated' behaviors such as eating and sexual activity is the

A. cerebral cortex
B. amygdala
C. corpus collosum
D. hypothalamus

CORRECT ANSWER IS: hypothalamus

281. QUESTION: This is not the part of the peripheral nervous system

A. parasympathetic system
B. limbic system
C. sympathetic system
D. sensory neurons

CORRECT ANSWER IS: limbic system

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282. QUESTION: Incorrectly paired are

A. spinal cord - a center for reflex behavior
B. medulla - center for respiration
C. ventricular system - glandular hormonal secretions into blood
D. midbrain - conduction of impulses between higher and lower centers of nervous system

CORRECT ANSWER IS: ventricular system - glandular hormonal secretions into blood

283. QUESTION: Neurons generally cannot fire at rates exceeding 100 impulses per secon D. This maximum firing rate can be largely attributed to

A. spatial summation
B. relative refractory periods
C. absolute refractory periods
D. excitatory postsynaptic potentials

CORRECT ANSWER IS: absolute refractory periods

284. QUESTION: Assuming the analogy of doorbell, which aspect of the neuron would most closely approximate the button that a visitor would push?

A. cell body
B. dendrites
C. axon
D. terminal endings

CORRECT ANSWER IS: dendrites

285. QUESTION: The speed that neural impulses travel is

A. 3 to 200 miles an hour
B. the speed of light
C. 600 miles an hour
D. 200 miles a second

CORRECT ANSWER IS: 3 to 200 miles an hour

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286. QUESTION: What describes the correct sequence of electrical activity as it passes through a single nerve cell?

A. axon, dendrite, soma, vesicle
B. soma, cell body. Dendrite, vesicle
C. soma, vesicle, dendrite, axon
D. dendrite, soma, axon, vesicle

CORRECT ANSWER IS: dendrite, soma, axon, vesicle

287. QUESTION: Removal of the hippocampus is most likely lead to

A. sham rage
B. narcolepsy
C. anterograde amnesia
D. retrograde amnesia

CORRECT ANSWER IS: anterograde amnesia

288. QUESTION: The sympathetic nervous system

A. is a subdivision of somatic nervous system
B. is a subdivision of autonomic nervous system
C. parallels to effects of the parasympathetic nervous system
D. preserves the homeostatic model

CORRECT ANSWER IS: is a subdivision of autonomic nervous system

289. QUESTION: A person who is nine feet tall and has very large hands and feet and a protecting jaw can attribute his physiological abnormality to an overactive

A. thyroid gland
B. parathyroid gland
C. adrenal gland
D. pituitary gland

CORRECT ANSWER IS: pituitary gland

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290. QUESTION: Axon : dendrite

A. inhibitory : excitatory
B. sympathetic : parasympathetic
C. transmitting information : receiving information
D. resting potential : action potential

CORRECT ANSWER IS: transmitting information : receiving information

291. QUESTION: Sensory-motor responses that are rapid and autonomic are called

A. instincts
B. reuptake
C. effective
D. reflexes

CORRECT ANSWER IS: reflexes

292. QUESTION: Which of the following shows the largest ratio of brain size to body mass?

A. chimpanzees
B. humans
C. elephants
D. dolphins

CORRECT ANSWER IS: humans

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293. QUESTION: The _____ is associated with the non-dominant hemisphere

A. Broca's area
B. recognition of faces
C. mathematics
D. logic

CORRECT ANSWER IS: recognition of faces

294. QUESTION: Which of the following species has brain more anatomically complex than humans?

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A. dolphins
B. elephants
C. gorillas
D. chimpanzees

CORRECT ANSWER IS: dolphins

295. QUESTION: The cells that response to changes in their environment and signal these changes into nervous system are called

A. receptor
B. effectors
C. myelin
D. striated

CORRECT ANSWER IS: receptor

296. QUESTION: The cerebellum functions prominently in

A. heart activity
B. blood pressure
C. verbal association
D. muscle movement coordination

CORRECT ANSWER IS: muscle movement coordination

297. QUESTION: A patient walks with a jerky, uncoordinated motion. A good preliminary diagnosis would be damage to the

A. thalamus
B. amygdala
C. reticular activating system
D. cerebellum

CORRECT ANSWER IS: cerebellum

298. QUESTION: The brain area central to language production is

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A. Broca's area
B. Sylvain fissure
C. Wernicke's area
D. fissure of Ronaldo

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Broca's area

299. QUESTION: In the visual system, sensory transduction

A. accounts for the sum of activity in the receptor cells
B. is the chain of sensory reception
C. translates physical information from our environment into electrical information for the brain processes
D. conducts energy from the one receptor cells to the rod receptor cells

CORRECT ANSWER IS: translates physical information from our environment into electrical information for the brain processes

300. QUESTION: The tool that provides the best analogy for DNA

A. a photographer's camera
B. a draftsman's template
C. a mathematician's compass
D. a painter's brush

CORRECT ANSWER IS: a draftsman's template

301. QUESTION: The _____ is responsible for the transmission of an impulse between neurons

A. actomyosin
B. acetylcholine
C. acetyl cholinesterase
D. luteinizing hormone

CORRECT ANSWER IS: acetylcholine

302. QUESTION: Which of the following is true of afferent neurons?

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A. located in the dorsal column of spinal cord
B. located in the ventral column of spinal cord
C. not located in spinal cord
D. found only in striated muscles

CORRECT ANSWER IS: located in the dorsal column of spinal cord

303. QUESTION: The gate control theory of pain perception presumes that pain signals are blocked by

A. non-myelinated neurons
B. myelinated neurons
C. efferent neurons
D. afferent neurons

CORRECT ANSWER IS: efferent neurons

304. QUESTION: One would expect an action potential to travel most quickly in

A. a long, thick myelinated fiber
B. a long, thin myelinated fiber
C. a short, thick myelinated fiber
D. a short, thin myelinated fiber

CORRECT ANSWER IS: a long, thick myelinated fiber

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305. QUESTION: The _____ mobilizes the body by secreting epinephrine in stressful situation.

A. adrenal cortex
B. pituitary
C. pancreas
D. adrenal medulla

CORRECT ANSWER IS: adrenal medulla

306. QUESTION: The part of the autonomic nervous system that triggers physiological arousal is

A. somatic nervous system
B. central nervous system

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C. sympathetic nervous system
D. parasympathetic nervous system

CORRECT ANSWER IS: parasympathetic nervous system

307. QUESTION: Most sensory information is relayed to the cerebral cortex by the

A. transducer
B. medulla
C. bipolar cells
D. thalamus

CORRECT ANSWER IS: thalamus

308. QUESTION: The vocal apparatus for producing speech sounds are useless unless the organism has which area in its brain developed in order to coordinate these movements?

A. hypothalamus
B. thalamus
C. Broca's area
D. fissure of Ronaldo

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Broca's area

309. QUESTION: Damage to hippocampus would result in difficulty

A. understanding language
B. producing language
C. encoding new information into long-term memory
D. processing sensory information

CORRECT ANSWER IS: encoding new information into long-term memory

310. QUESTION: In human females, the primary sex hormones are

A. testosterone and androgen
B. progesterone and estrogen
C. testosterone and estrogen

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D. progesterone and testosterone

CORRECT ANSWER IS: testosterone and estrogen

311. QUESTION: Receptors are generally referred to as chemicals are

A. visual and auditory
B. auditory and temperature
C. gustation and olfaction
D. temperature and pressure

CORRECT ANSWER IS: gustation and olfaction

312. QUESTION: A physical stimulus is converted into a neural impulse by a process

A. transposition
B. transduction
C. transition
D. transference

CORRECT ANSWER IS: transduction

313. QUESTION: The dominant hemisphere of the brain

A. controls the non-dominant hand
B. adept at spatial tasks
C. works independently of non-dominant hemisphere
D. controls the expression and comprehension of language

CORRECT ANSWER IS: controls the expression and comprehension of language

314. QUESTION: Neurons are unique among cells in that they

A. cannot conduct impulses
B. cannot reproduce
C. are surrounded by a membrane
D. have a nucleus containing genetic material

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: cannot reproduce

315. QUESTION: A term completely describing muscles and glands is

A. receptors
B. effectors
C. innervates
D. affectors

CORRECT ANSWER IS: effectors

316. QUESTION: The gland of the body serve as

A. effectors
B. receptors
C. afferent nerves
D. efferent verves

CORRECT ANSWER IS: effectors

317. QUESTION: the thalamus serves which of the following functions?

A. relay center from spinal cord to cerebrum
B. regulate external expression of emotion
C. relay center for sensory impulses
D. all of the above

CORRECT ANSWER IS: all of the above

318. QUESTION: _____ is credited with first inferring the existence of synapses.

A. Johannes Muller
B. Franz Gall
C. William James
D. Charles Sherrington

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Charles Sherrington

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319. QUESTION: Which brain structure is important in causing, awakening a person from sleep?

A. limbic activating system
B. cerebral activating system
C. reticular activating system
D. thalamic activating system

CORRECT ANSWER IS: reticular activating system

320. QUESTION: As one moves from external stimulus to moto response, which of the following constitutes an accurate sequential pattern?

A. afferent nerve, efferent nerve, neural modulator
B. efferent nerve, interneuron, afferent nerve
C. afferent nerve, interneuron, efferent nerve
D. efferent nerve, afferent nerve, neural modulator

CORRECT ANSWER IS: afferent nerve, interneuron, efferent nerve

321. QUESTION: Of the following malfunctions, the one not pituitary based is

A. acromegaly
B. dwarfism
C. gigantism
D. cretinism

CORRECT ANSWER IS: cretinism

322. QUESTION: Follicle-stimulating hormone is secreted by the

A. ovaries
B. testes
C. pituitary gland
D. hypothalamus

CORRECT ANSWER IS: pituitary gland

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323. QUESTION: What effect does adrenaline have on human body?

A. constriction of the pupils
B. increased rate of digestion
C. accelerated heart beat
D. increased hormone production

CORRECT ANSWER IS: accelerated heart beat

324. QUESTION: The _____ gland is frequently referred as 'master gland' since it regulates the activity of many other glands.

A. thyroid
B. adrenal
C. pituitary
D. pineal

CORRECT ANSWER IS: pituitary

325. QUESTION: Preparing the body 'for fight or fight' is the function of the

A. pituitary gland
B. parathyroid gland
C. adrenal medulla
D. parasympathetic nervous system

CORRECT ANSWER IS: adrenal medulla

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326. QUESTION: The _____ is not a neurotransmitter.

A. acetylcholine
B. serotonin
C. dopamine
D. opioid peptides

CORRECT ANSWER IS: opioid peptides

327. QUESTION: Transduction is

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A. the light sourced from the distal stimulus
B. the transfer of energy from proximal stimulus to distal stimulus
C. the psychological experience of a stimulus
D. the conversion process whereby proximal stimulus becomes neural impulse

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the conversion process whereby proximal stimulus becomes neural impulse

328. QUESTION: If a neuron will not fire regardless of the amount of stimulation, it is most likely

A. at its resting potential
B. in its absolute refractory period
C. an afferent neuron
D. in its relative refractory period

CORRECT ANSWER IS: in its absolute refractory period

329. QUESTION: A neuron does not contain

A. a cell body
B. septum
C. myelin sheath
D. dendrites

CORRECT ANSWER IS: septum

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330. QUESTION: A knee jerk is an example of

A. synaptic reflex
B. spastic movement
C. monosynaptic reflex
D. double innervations

CORRECT ANSWER IS: monosynaptic reflex

331. QUESTION: Damage to the left visual vortex will

A. impair vision is only right eye

B. impair vision is only the left eye
C. leave a person with no vision
D. impair vision foot images of objects falling on the left half of each eye's retina

CORRECT ANSWER IS:

332. QUESTION: Suppose that psychosurgery is tried to remedy the incontrollable violent behavior of a convicted serial murderer. Which brain structure should probably be operated on?

A. amygdala
B. cerebellum
C. thalamus
D. medulla

CORRECT ANSWER IS: amygdala

333. QUESTION: The head injured patient lost the ability to breath. Autopsy revealed neural damage in the

A. medulla
B. midbrain
C. cerebellum
D. pons

CORRECT ANSWER IS: medulla

334. QUESTION: The action potential 'jumps' along an axon. The gaps in a myelinated axon that the action potential 'jumps' to are called the

A. Broca's area
B. Nodes of Ranvier
C. terminal buttons
D. Wernicke's area

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Nodes of Ranvier

335. QUESTION: Each of the following is a neurotransmitter except

A. serotonin

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B. endorphins
C. dopamine
D. insulin

CORRECT ANSWER IS: insulin

336. QUESTION: Which of the following plays an important role in the regulation of respiration?

A. pons
B. hypothalamus
C. thalamus
D. midbrain

CORRECT ANSWER IS: pons

337. QUESTION: Not among the major brain division is

A. frontal
B. cerebellum
C. reticular activating system
D. brain stem

CORRECT ANSWER IS: reticular activating system

338. QUESTION: The area of the brain where the sense of smell is processed is the

A. frontal lobe
B. pineal gland
C. olfactory bulbs
D. parietal lobe

CORRECT ANSWER IS: olfactory bulbs

339. QUESTION: The principal function of parietal lobe is

A. visual processing
B. auditory processing
C. long-term planning

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D. spatial processing

CORRECT ANSWER IS: spatial processing

340. QUESTION: The All or None law refers to

A. potassium being all inside or all outside the nerve cell
B. sodium being all inside or all outside the nerve cell
C. stimulation of the unmyelinated axons
D. the size of the signal produced in the nerve cell

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the size of the signal produced in the nerve cell

341. QUESTION: The correct statement is

A. whether a neuron is at rest or conducting is determined by the ionic flux of electricity charged particles (ions)
B. an important aspect of excitatory potential is the incremental fringe principle
C. excitatory potential is self-propagating
D. neural impulse transmission is completely chemical in nature

CORRECT ANSWER IS: whether a neuron is at rest or conducting is determined by the ionic flux of electricity charged particles (ions)

342. QUESTION: What measures brain activity, more specifically, emitted potentials.

A. MRI
B. CAT system
C. EEG
D. ECT

CORRECT ANSWER IS: EEG

343. QUESTION: The 'white matter' of the central nervous system is actually

A. nerve fiber pathways
B. cell bodies
C. cell centers
D. cortical issue

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: nerve fiber pathways

344. QUESTION: The 'fight for fight' response to a perceived threat is associated with increased activity of

A. sympathetic nervous system
B. the para-sympathetic nervous system
C. cerebral cortex
D. corpus collosum

CORRECT ANSWER IS: sympathetic nervous system

345. QUESTION: You are right-handed, split-brain patient. You have just been very briefly show a telephone picture to the left of your center-vision point. You will

A. immediately say telephone
B. indicate that you saw nothing
C. find yourself becoming dizzy
D. immediately think of your last cellphone

CORRECT ANSWER IS: indicate that you saw nothing

346. QUESTION: Which is most likely to occur in a patient diagnosed with demyelinating disease in which myelin degenerates from around the bodies of axons?

A. rerouting of nerve impulses
B. slower never conduction times
C. cortical brain lesions
D. faster never conduction times

CORRECT ANSWER IS: slower never conduction times

347. QUESTION: During the relative refractory period

A. the nerve cell will not respond to any new stimulation
B. the nerve cell will respond to chemical changes in sodium
C. the nerve cell requires a stronger stimulus to fire
D. the nerve cell requires an influx of sodium and an efflux of potassium

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: the nerve cell requires a stronger stimulus to fire

348. QUESTION: What has direct control over the function of the pituitary gland?

A. pons
B. cerebral cortex
C. hypothalamus
D. midbrain

CORRECT ANSWER IS: hypothalamus

349. QUESTION: Striated muscles

A. are synonymous with smooth muscles
B. produce stomach contractions
C. are prominently involved in voluntary muscle activity
D. produce hear-rate change

CORRECT ANSWER IS: are prominently involved in voluntary muscle activity

350. QUESTION: Damage to the ventromedial region of the hypothalamus would most likely result in

A. agnosia
B. apraxia
C. aphasia
D. hyperphagia

CORRECT ANSWER IS: hyperphagia

351. QUESTION: Broca's area and Wernicke's area of the brain are involved in the _____ and _____ of speech respectively.

A. understanding, production
B. comprehension, formulation
C. organizing, production
D. production, comprehension

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: production, comprehension

352. QUESTION: Occipital lobe is located in

A. temporal lobe
B. parietal lobe
C. frontal lobe
D. none of these

CORRECT ANSWER IS: none of these

353. QUESTION: The pituitary gland secretes

A. TSH (thyroid stimulating hormone)
B. ACTH (adrenocorticotrophic hormone)
C. FSH (follicle stimulating hormone)
D. all of the above

CORRECT ANSWER IS: all of the above

354. QUESTION: The spinal cord does not

A. relay nerve impulses
B. process sensor impulses
C. control primitive impulses
D. contain spinal nerves

CORRECT ANSWER IS: control primitive impulses

355. QUESTION: The fontal lobe is to personality as temporal lobe is to

A. hearing
B. executive functioning
C. memory
D. vision

CORRECT ANSWER IS: hearing

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356. QUESTION: The medulla oblongata, pons, midbrain and diencephalon are all parts of the

A. cerebellum
B. cortex
C. brainstem
D. left hemisphere

CORRECT ANSWER IS: brainstem

357. QUESTION: In speech impairment from brain damage, damage has occurred in

A. right cerebral hemisphere
B. left cerebral hemisphere
C. regular formation
D. corpus collosum

CORRECT ANSWER IS: left cerebral hemisphere

358. QUESTION: This is not a part of brainstem.

A. medulla
B. pons
C. midbrain
D. corpus collosum

CORRECT ANSWER IS: corpus collosum

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359. QUESTION: Chemicals that act as messengers between animals are referred as

A. hormones
B. pheromones
C. amacrines
D. anachrones

CORRECT ANSWER IS: pheromones

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360. QUESTION: The _____ act as a relay station for information coming from the mid and hindbrains and going to the cortex.

A. partial lobe
B. cerebellum
C. pons
D. thalamus

CORRECT ANSWER IS: thalamus

361. QUESTION: The cerebral cortex receives information from the

A. auditory system
B. visual system
C. motor system
D. all of the above

CORRECT ANSWER IS: all of the above

362. QUESTION: This is not a function of thyroxine:

A. body metabolism
B. skeletal growth
C. sexual arousal
D. gamete production

CORRECT ANSWER IS: skeletal growth

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363. QUESTION: _____ is a neurotransmitter-related brain disorder associated with acetylcholine deficiency.

A. Alzheimer's
B. Parkinson's
C. Schizophrenia
D. Down's syndrome

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Alzheimer's

364. QUESTION: Two kinds of change that occur to the cell body of a neuron during an action potential are

A. electrical and chemical
B. spontaneous and stimulated
C. hormonal and mechanical
D. chemical and hormonal

CORRECT ANSWER IS: electrical and chemical

365. QUESTION: The distinctly male sex hormone is

A. estrogen
B. androgen
C. dextrin
D. progesterone

CORRECT ANSWER IS: androgen

366. QUESTION: For the diabetic, the basic problem is that the _____ is not producing _____

A. adrenal medulla, epinephrine
B. adrenal cortex, carbohydrate
C. pituitary, somatotropin
D. pancreas, insulin

CORRECT ANSWER IS: pancreas, insulin

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367. QUESTION: Afferent pathways are involved in which of the following sensory systems?

A. visual, tactile, kinetic and auditory only
B. olfactory and kinetic only
C. kinetic and auditory only
D. all sensory systems

CORRECT ANSWER IS: all sensory systems

368. QUESTION: Hyperactivity through glandular secretion is most directly related to

A. the cerebellum

B. the gonads
C. the thyroid gland
D. the adrenal medulla

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the thyroid gland

369. QUESTION: Hormones are to endocrine system as _____ are to the nervous system.

A. nerves
B. synapses
C. neurotransmitters
D. action potential

CORRECT ANSWER IS: neurotransmitters

370. QUESTION: A person that suggests that the shape of a person's skull indicates the extent to which that individual is argumentative and aggressive would be a

A. neurologist
B. phrenologist
C. psychoanalyst
D. neuropsychologist

CORRECT ANSWER IS: phrenologist

371. QUESTION: The vast majority of cells in the body's information-processing systems are

A. interneurons
B. motor neurons
C. sensory neurons
D. neurotransmitters

CORRECT ANSWER IS: interneurons

372. QUESTION: The process of comparing currently experienced visual input with past visual memories takes place with

A. Broca's area
B. the sensory cortex

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C. association areas
D. the limbic system

CORRECT ANSWER IS: association areas

373. QUESTION: During depolarization, _____ molecules rush into axon, during depolarization _____ molecules rush out of the axon

A. potassium, chloride
B. chloride, sodium
C. sodium, potassium
D. potassium, chloride

CORRECT ANSWER IS: sodium, potassium

374. QUESTION: Chemicals which are produced in the brain and facilitate communication between nerve cells are called

A. neurotransmitters
B. plasmas
C. syntactic structures
D. adrenocorticoids

CORRECT ANSWER IS: neurotransmitters

375. QUESTION: Which part of the neuron release transmitters onto receiving cells?

A. axon terminals
B. dendrites
C. glia
D. action potentials

CORRECT ANSWER IS: axon terminals

376. QUESTION: Which area of brain are closely connected to hunger, eating and satiation?

A. medulla oblongata
B. hippocampus
C. hypothalamus

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D. thalamus

CORRECT ANSWER IS: hypothalamus

377. QUESTION: The peripheral nervous system is made up of extensions from the central nervous system known as

A. nerves
B. ganglia
C. tracts
D. dendrites

CORRECT ANSWER IS: nerves

378. QUESTION: The cells that serve as the building blocks of the body's information processing system are called

A. neurons
B. neurotransmitters
C. dendrites
D. synapses

CORRECT ANSWER IS: neurons

379. QUESTION: Information is carried from the central nervous system to the tissue by

A. interneurons
B. sensory neurons
C. motor neurons
D. afferent neurons

CORRECT ANSWER IS: motor neurons

380. QUESTION: Two adrenal hormones which also appear to function as neurotransmitters in the brain are

A. dopamine and serotonin
B. progesterone and testosterone
C. insulin and toblerone
D. epinephrine and nor-epinephrine

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: epinephrine and nor-epinephrine

381. QUESTION: In what ways does the hypothalamus help to regulate the body's internal environment?

A. influencing the activity of the autonomic nervous system
B. controlling the release of certain hormones
C. influencing drivers such as hunger and thirst
D. all of these

CORRECT ANSWER IS: all of these

382. QUESTION: The process by which a single neuro relays messages to other neurons is known as

A. polarization
B. depolarization
C. axonal transmission
D. synaptic transmission

CORRECT ANSWER IS: synaptic transmission

383. QUESTION: The thyroid gland control

A. glucose absorption
B. emotions
C. metabolism
D. sexuality

CORRECT ANSWER IS: metabolism

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384. QUESTION: The fatty material protecting the axon in some neurons is called a/an

A. dendrite
B. myelin sheath
C. ganglion
D. axon terminal

CORRECT ANSWER IS: myelin sheath

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385. QUESTION: The skeletal nervous system is a component of the _____ nervous system

A. peripheral
B. autonomic
C. central
D. sympathetic

CORRECT ANSWER IS: peripheral

386. QUESTION: The elementary units of the nervous system that carry out the functions of the system are called

A. neurons
B. nerves
C. ganglia
D. glia

CORRECT ANSWER IS: neurons

387. QUESTION: The function of dendrites is to

A. release neurotransmitters
B. receive incoming signals
C. coordinate the activation of parasympathetic and sympathetic nervous system
D. control pain

CORRECT ANSWER IS: receive incoming signals

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388. QUESTION: The part of the left frontal lobe that directs the muscle movements involved in speech is known as

A. Wernicke's area
B. the angular gyrus
C. the amygdala
D. Broca's area

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Broca's area

389. QUESTION: Which of the following brain areas is important for speech?

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A. Wernicke's area
B. cerebellum
C. thalamus
D. hippocampus

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Wernicke's area

390. QUESTION: What distinguishes sensory neuron from a motor neuron or an interneuron?

A. the axon is relatively short
B. cell body lies within central nervous system
C. dendrites protrude from one end of the axon and lodge in the skin
D. the dendrites protrude from the cell body and meet the axon terminals of other neurons

CORRECT ANSWER IS: dendrites protrude from one end of the axon and lodge in the skin

391. QUESTION: Messages are transmitted from you spinal cord to your heart muscles by the

A. limbic system
B. skeletal nervous system
C. central nervous system
D. autonomic nervous system

CORRECT ANSWER IS: autonomic nervous system

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392. QUESTION: The longest part of neuron is

A. dendrite
B. axon
C. cell body
D. synapses

CORRECT ANSWER IS: axon

393. QUESTION: The portions of your nervous system which control breathing and digestion is

A. axon

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B. autonomic
C. linear circuit
D. none of these

CORRECT ANSWER IS: autonomic

394. QUESTION: Under conditions of stress, which of the following prepares the body for possible 'fight or fight'?

A. skeletal nervous system
B. spinal reflex system
C. sympathetic division of the autonomic nervous system
D. parasympathetic division of the autonomic nervous system

CORRECT ANSWER IS: sympathetic division of the autonomic nervous system

395. QUESTION: The speed at which a neural impulse travels is increased when the axon is closed by a/an

A. myelin sheath
B. association area
C. interneuron
D. corpus collosum

CORRECT ANSWER IS: myelin sheath

396. QUESTION: Damage in Broca's area will lead to difficulty in

A. reading
B. speaking fluently
C. remembering past events
D. understanding other people when they speak

CORRECT ANSWER IS: speaking fluently

397. QUESTION: Specialized cells of nervous system carry

A. messages
B. reflexes

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C. both a and b
D. none of these

CORRECT ANSWER IS: messages

398. QUESTION: A ____ is a bundle of _____

A. ganglion, axon of sensory and motor neurons
B. nerve, axons of motor and sensory neurons
C. nerve, interneurons
D. ganglion, interneurons

CORRECT ANSWER IS: nerve, axons of motor and sensory neurons

399. QUESTION: Drugs that attempt to impact behavior generally try to

A. hinder or facilitate the transmission of 'messages' at the synaptic junction
B. speed up the action potential
C. stimulate the axon hillock
D. stimulate the nodes of Ranvier

CORRECT ANSWER IS: hinder or facilitate the transmission of 'messages' at the synaptic junction

400. QUESTION: The capacity of the brain area to take over the function of another damaged brain area is known as brain

A. regeneration
B. accommodation
C. aphasia
D. plasticity

CORRECT ANSWER IS: plasticity

401. QUESTION: Faster heart rate is triggered by the

A. skeletal nervous system
B. sympathetic nervous system

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C. limbic system
D. parasympathetic nervous system

CORRECT ANSWER IS: sympathetic nervous system

402. QUESTION: The function of the sensory neuron is to

A. organize information
B. carry information to central nervous system
C. transmits messages between neurons
D. transmit messages from motor to interneurons

CORRECT ANSWER IS: carry information to central nervous system

403. QUESTION: The junction where the axon of a sending neuron communicates with a receiving neuron is called the

A. reuptake site
B. receptor site
C. synapse
D. axon terminal

CORRECT ANSWER IS: synapse

404. QUESTION: When you smile, a ____ nerve stimulates face muscles. When you prick your toe, the pain travels to the nervous system by a _____ nerve.

A. spinal, spinal
B. cranial, cranial
C. cranial, spinal
D. spinal, cranial

CORRECT ANSWER IS: cranial, spinal

405. QUESTION: A brief electrical charge that travels down the axon of a neuron is called the

A. synapse
B. threshold

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C. action potential
D. refractory period

CORRECT ANSWER IS: action potential

406. QUESTION: The simplest neural pathways are those that govern our

A. thoughts
B. emotions
C. reflexes
D. sexual drives

CORRECT ANSWER IS: reflexes

407. QUESTION: An individual with Wernicke's aphasia would have difficulty

A. understanding what is said to him
B. creating a logical sentence
C. spelling
D. uttering words

CORRECT ANSWER IS: creating a logical sentence

408. QUESTION: Hormones are directly secreted into _____ by endocrine glands

A. synaptic gaps
B. the bloodstream
C. the limbic system
D. interneurons

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the bloodstream

409. QUESTION: Damage to the left cerebral hemisphere will reduce a person's ability to

A. recognize faces
B. copy drawings
C. solve arithmetic problems

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D. recognize familiar melodies

CORRECT ANSWER IS: solve arithmetic problems

410. QUESTION: Neural impulses may travel as rapidly as

A. sound waves
B. light waves
C. 200 miles per hour
D. electricity through a wire

CORRECT ANSWER IS: 200 miles per hour

411. QUESTION: Neurons that exist completely within central nervous system are called

A. motor neurons
B. interneurons
C. sensory neurons
D. nerves

CORRECT ANSWER IS: interneurons

412. QUESTION: The autonomic nervous system differs from the somatic nervous system in that its operation is largely

A. involuntary
B. voluntary
C. controlled by the brain
D. controlled by the spinal cord

CORRECT ANSWER IS: involuntary

413. QUESTION: The division of the nervous system that carries neural commands directly to the muscles what produce observable body movement is

A. the central nervous system
B. the skeletal nervous system
C. the autonomic nervous system

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D. the parasympathetic nervous system

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the skeletal nervous system

414. QUESTION: Hormones are the chemical messenger of

A. cerebral cortex
B. endocrine system
C. autonomic nervous system
D. limbic system

CORRECT ANSWER IS: endocrine system

415. QUESTION: The ovaries in females and the testes in males are part of

A. limbic system
B. sympathetic system
C. endocrine system
D. reticular system

CORRECT ANSWER IS: endocrine system

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416. QUESTION: What is referred as white matter in brain and spine?

A. Gyri
B. Nerve fibers made of axons
C. Bone matter
D. sulci

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Nerve fibers made of axons

417. QUESTION: What is directly influenced by the activity of hypothalamus?

A. hunger and thirst
B. muscular coordination
C. attention and memory
D. heartbeat and breathing

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: hunger and thirst

418. QUESTION: A slap on back in more painful than a pat on the back because a slap triggers

A. faster neural impulses
B. more intense neural impulses
C. more frequent neural impulses
D. all of the above

CORRECT ANSWER IS: more frequent neural impulses

419. QUESTION: If you are accused of cheating, your adrenal glands would probably release _____ into your bloodstream

A. endorphins
B. acetylcholine
C. epinephrine
D. insulin

CORRECT ANSWER IS: epinephrine

420. QUESTION: The corpus collosum is a band of neural fibers that

A. enable the left hemisphere to control the right side of the body
B. transmits information between cerebral hemisphere
C. control the glands and muscles of the internal organs
D. directs the muscle movements involved in speech

CORRECT ANSWER IS: transmits information between cerebral hemisphere

421. QUESTION: An insufficient supply of Thyroid Hormone can result in

A. increased metabolic rate
B. cretinism
C. increased emotionality
D. none of these

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: cretinism

422. QUESTION: The most numerous neurons in the human nervous system are

A. moto neurons
B. interneurons
C. sensory neurons
D. none of these

CORRECT ANSWER IS: interneurons

423. QUESTION: The division of the nervous system that carries neural commands directly to the glands and internal muscular structures such as heat and intestine is

A. the skeletal nervous system
B. autonomic nervous system
C. central nervous system
D. both a and b

CORRECT ANSWER IS: autonomic nervous system

424. QUESTION: The chemical messengers released into the spatial junctions between neurons are called

A. hormones
B. neurotransmitters
C. synapses
D. enzymes

CORRECT ANSWER IS: neurotransmitters

425. QUESTION: An axon is polarized when

A. the inside of the axon is electorally negative with respect to the outside
B. positively charged sodium molecules rush into the axon through special sodium gates
C. the outside of the axon contains more negatively charged chlorine molecules than the inside
D. the inside of the axon contains more positively charged sodium molecules than the outside

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: the inside of the axon is electorally negative with respect to the outside

426. QUESTION: The so-called 'master gland' which helps control the activities of various ductless glands is the

A. adrenal medulla
B. thyroid
C. anterior pituitary
D. gonad

CORRECT ANSWER IS: anterior pituitary

427. QUESTION: The brain structure that provides a major link between the nervous system and the endocrine system is the

A. cerebellum
B. amygdala
C. reticular formation
D. hypothalamus

CORRECT ANSWER IS: hypothalamus

428. QUESTION: The main regions of brain are the

A. hind brain, forebrain, midbrain
B. cerebral cortex, forebrain, hind brain, and midbrain
C. forebrain, midbrain and anterior region
D. central hemisphere and left hemisphere

CORRECT ANSWER IS: hind brain, forebrain, midbrain

429. QUESTION: The short height is probably influenced by the lack of a growth hormone produced by the

A. pancreas
B. thyroid
C. adrenal gland
D. pituitary gland

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: pituitary gland

430. QUESTION: Neurons that carry messages to muscles and glands are called

A. interneurons
B. motor neurons
C. sensory neurons
D. both b and c

CORRECT ANSWER IS: motor neurons

431. QUESTION: The chemical messenger at every synaptic gap between a motor neuron and a muscle is

A. epinephrine
B. curare
C. dopamine
D. acetylcholine

CORRECT ANSWER IS: acetylcholine

432. QUESTION: What division of nervous system is responsible for raising hand?

A. the central nervous system
B. the skeletal nervous system
C. the autonomic nervous system
D. the parasympathetic nervous system

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the skeletal nervous system

433. QUESTION: The peripheral nervous system is made up of

A. axons and dendrites
B. the brain and the spinal cord
C. the autonomic and somatic nervous system
D. the sympathetic and parasympathetic nervous system

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: the autonomic and somatic nervous system

434. QUESTION: When your heart begins to pound and your pulse begins to race, what part of nervous system is producing this physiological response?

A. skeletal nervous system
B. spinal reflex system
C. sympathetic division of the autonomic nervous system
D. spinal reflex system

CORRECT ANSWER IS: sympathetic division of the autonomic nervous system

435. QUESTION: In which lobe, motor cortex is located?

A. occipital
B. temporal
C. frontal
D. parietal

CORRECT ANSWER IS: frontal

436. QUESTION: Of three different types of neurons, sensory neurons are unique in that they

A. carry impulses from the brain and spinal cord to parts of the body that then respond to the impulses
B. receive information from the receptor cells and send this information to the brain or spinal cord
C. reside exclusively in the peripheral nervous system have two functions, to send signals to motor neurons and to receive signals from receptors
D. none of these

CORRECT ANSWER IS: receive information from the receptor cells and send this information to the brain or spinal cord

437. QUESTION: Surgical destruction of brain tissue is called a/an

A. split brain
B. lesion
C. synapse
D. MRI

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: lesion

438. QUESTION: The parts of the motor neurons or an interneuron that are specialized to receive signals from other neurons are

A. axon and myelin sheath
B. dendrites and cell body
C. synaptic vesicles
D. axon terminals

CORRECT ANSWER IS: dendrites and cell body

439. QUESTION: A laboratory monkey could be made to smile by direct stimulation of the _____ lobe of its cerebral cortex.

A. temporal
B. occipital
C. frontal
D. parietal

CORRECT ANSWER IS: frontal

440. QUESTION: Homeostasis is maintained by the _____ which also plays an important role in emotions.

A. hypothalamus
B. thalamus
C. limbic system
D. reticular activating system

CORRECT ANSWER IS: hypothalamus

441. QUESTION: If the spinal cord is severed closer to the brain than to the bottom of the spinal column

A. fewer body parts will lose movements and sensation
B. the body parts affected will show less severe deficits in movement and sensation
C. a greater number of body parts will lose movements and sensation

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D. paralysis will not accompanied by sensory loss

CORRECT ANSWER IS: a greater number of body parts will lose movements and sensation

442. QUESTION: In terms of brain evolution, the sequence of brain regions from oldest to newest is

A. limbic system, brainstem, cerebral cortex
B. brainstem, cerebral cortex, limbic system
C. limbic system, cerebral cortex, brainstem
D. brain stem, limbic system, cerebral cortex

CORRECT ANSWER IS: brain stem, limbic system, cerebral cortex

443. QUESTION: Endorphins are most directly involved in the control of

A. body temperature
B. physical pain
C. muscle contraction
D. attention

CORRECT ANSWER IS: physical pain

444. QUESTION: You accidently dip you hand into some boiling water and later realizes that you jerked your hand out of the water before you left pain. Which of the following is the most likely explanation?

A. motor neurons operate more quickly than sensory neurons
B. the hand contains many more neurons than sensory neurons
C. the spinal cord can control some behavior without input from the brain
D. pain sensations tend to be suppressed in the brain

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the spinal cord can control some behavior without input from the brain

445. QUESTION: In which lobe is the part of the brain that receives the input that enables you to feel someone scratching your back?

A. parietal
B. temporal

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C. occipital
D. frontal

CORRECT ANSWER IS: parietal

446. QUESTION: The thalamus can be characterized as

A. a regulatory system
B. a relay system
C. a bridge between two cerebral hemisphere
D. the conscious switch of the brain

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the conscious switch of the brain

447. QUESTION: Which of the following is most true of the spinal cord and the brainstem?

A. the spinal cord is the site of entry of motor tracts and the brainstem is the site of entry of sensory tracts
B. both contribute to organizing certain reflexes
C. both contain spinal and cranial nerves
D. all of above

CORRECT ANSWER IS: both contribute to organizing certain reflexes

448. QUESTION: The part of the brainstem that controls heartbeat and breathing is called

A. cerebellum
B. medulla
C. reticular formation
D. thalamus

CORRECT ANSWER IS: medulla

449. QUESTION: The surgical removal of a large tumor from Javed's occipital lobe resulted in extensive loss of brain tissue. He is most likely to suffer from loss of

A. muscular coordination
B. language comprehension

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C. speaking ability
D. visual perception

CORRECT ANSWER IS: visual perception

450. QUESTION: The four parts of the neurons are

A. axon, cell body, myelin sheath and dendrites
B. axon, dendrites, nucleus and terminal buttons
C. axon, cell body, dendrites and terminal buttons
D. axon, dendrites, myelin sheath and nodes of Ranvier

CORRECT ANSWER IS: axon, cell body, myelin sheath and dendrites

451. QUESTION: What is best described as the relay station connecting various parts of the brain?

A. the hypothalamus
B. the thalamus
C. the cerebellum
D. the limbic system

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the thalamus

452. QUESTION: The two major division of the nervous system are the central and the _____ nervous system

A. autonomic
B. sympathetic
C. parasympathetic
D. peripheral

CORRECT ANSWER IS: peripheral

453. QUESTION: The reticular formation is located in

A. brainstem
B. limbic system
C. sensory cortex

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D. motor cortex

CORRECT ANSWER IS: brainstem

454. QUESTION: In which lobe, auditory stimulation is first processed?

A. occipital
B. temporal
C. frontal
D. parietal

CORRECT ANSWER IS: temporal

455. QUESTION: Short fibers that branch out from the cell body and pickup incoming messages are called

A. axons
B. terminals
C. nerves
D. dendrites

CORRECT ANSWER IS: dendrites

456. QUESTION: Parkinson's disease is due to deterioration of neurons running from the brainstem into the

A. basal ganglia
B. thalamus
C. frontal lobes
D. hypothalamus

CORRECT ANSWER IS: basal ganglia

457. QUESTION: The brainstem is to arousal as the limbic system is to

A. language comprehension
B. muscular coordination
C. respiration
D. emotion

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: emotion

458. QUESTION: The central nervous system consists of

A. sensory and motor neurons
B. skeletal and autonomic subsystems
C. the brain and the spinal cord
D. sympathetic and parasympathetic branches

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the brain and the spinal cord

459. QUESTION: The thin, tube like branches that increase the surface area of the cell body in the motor neuron and interneuron are called

A. axons
B. myelin sheath
C. glial cells
D. dendrites

CORRECT ANSWER IS: dendrites

460. QUESTION: Two parts of autonomic nervous system are

A. voluntary and involuntary
B. cerebrospinal and cortical
C. thalamus and hypothalamus
D. sympathetic and parasympathetic

CORRECT ANSWER IS: sympathetic and parasympathetic

461. QUESTION: The occipital lobe is to _____ as the temporal lobe is to _____

A. seeing, sensing touch
B. hearing, sensing movement
C. seeing, hearing
D. sensing pleasure, sensing pain

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: seeing, hearing

462. QUESTION: Effectors and receptor cells are different in

A. their composition and speed of conduction
B. the direction in which they carry nerve impulses
C. the corresponding branch of the nervous system to which they belong
D. the effectors never connect with the brain, while receptors receive information from the brain

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the direction in which they carry nerve impulses

463. QUESTION: Pairs that are functionally most similar and play complementary roles in initiating movements are

A. limbic system and cerebellum
B. basal ganglia and hypothalamus
C. cerebellum and basal ganglia
D. basal ganglia and limbic system

CORRECT ANSWER IS: cerebellum and basal ganglia

464. QUESTION: Information is carried from the tissue of the body to the central nervous system by

A. interneurons
B. sensory neurons
C. motor neurons
D. efferent neurons

CORRECT ANSWER IS: sensory neurons

465. QUESTION: Examples of ductless glands are

A. gonads, salivary glands
B. salivary glands, tear glands
C. adrenals, gonads, thyroid
D. thyroid, pituitary, tear gland

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: adrenals, gonads, thyroid

466. QUESTION: _____ in limbic system plays an essential role in the processing of memories

A. hypothalamus
B. thalamus
C. hippocampus
D. amygdala

CORRECT ANSWER IS: hippocampus

467. QUESTION: Within limbic system, the two structures that interconnect to form a circuit wrapped around the thalamus and basal ganglia are the

A. amygdala and cerebellum
B. hippocampus and thalamus
C. thalamus and hypothalamus
D. amygdala and hippocampus

CORRECT ANSWER IS: amygdala and hippocampus

468. QUESTION: Axon and dendrites are part of a

A. myelin sheath
B. cell body
C. neuron
D. node

CORRECT ANSWER IS: neuron

469. QUESTION: The structure in the limbic system that plays an important role in memory formation is the

A. hypothalamus
B. hippocampus
C. amygdala
D. midbrain

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: hippocampus

470. QUESTION: People whose corpus collosum had been served to treat epilepsy

A. no longer had direct neural communication between left and right cerebral hemispheres
B. no longer could carry on a conversation or engage in tasks requiring physical coordination
C. suffered a considerable loss in measured IQ
D. all of above

CORRECT ANSWER IS: no longer had direct neural communication between left and right cerebral hemispheres

471. QUESTION: Heartbeat, digestion and other self-regulating bodily functions are governed by

A. voluntary nervous system
B. autonomic nervous system
C. sympathetic division of the autonomic nervous system
D. skeletal nervous system

CORRECT ANSWER IS: autonomic nervous system

472. QUESTION: The frontal lobes of cerebral cortex are critical to

A. visual processing
B. auditory processing
C. somato-sensory processing
D. planning and decision making

CORRECT ANSWER IS: planning and decision making

473. QUESTION: Which of the following is typically controlled by the right hemisphere

A. language
B. learned voluntary movements
C. arithmetic reasoning
D. perceptual tasks

CORRECT ANSWER IS: perceptual tasks

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474. QUESTION: What type of charged particle enters the neuron at the beginning of the action potential?

A. potassium ions
B. sodium ions
C. protein molecules
D. chloride ions

CORRECT ANSWER IS: sodium ions

475. QUESTION: A person suffers with brain damage as the result of a car accident. The person can remember things that happened prior to the accident but cannot from long-term new memories. This person is likely to have sustained to which of the following areas?

A. the hypothalamus
B. the amygdala
C. the hippocampus
D. the cerebellum

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the hippocampus

476. QUESTION: A strong stimulus can increase

A. the speed of impulse the neuron fires
B. the intensity of the impulse the neuron fires
C. the number of times the neuron fires
D. the threshold that must be reached before the neuron fires

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the number of times the neuron fires

477. QUESTION: Voluntary movements, such as writing with a pencil, are directed by the

A. skeletal nervous system
B. sympathetic nervous system
C. autonomic nervous system
D. parasympathetic nervous system

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: skeletal nervous system

478. QUESTION: The result of damage to frontal lobes is

A. impaired ability to extract information from the environment
B. impaired ability to use information effectively to control behavior
C. impaired ability not to extract information from the environment but also to use information effectively to control behavior
D. the effects vary greatly from person to person and at this time no general statement can be made

CORRECT ANSWER IS: impaired ability to use information effectively to control behavior

479. QUESTION: The correct sequence in the transmission of a neural impulse is

A. axon - dendrite - cell body - synapse
B. dendrite - axon - cell body - synapse
C. synapse - axon - dendrite - cell body
D. dendrite - cell body - axon - synapse

CORRECT ANSWER IS: dendrite - cell body - axon - synapse

480. QUESTION: Communication between neurons or between a neuron and a muscle cell takes place across

A. synapses
B. interneurons
C. nodes
D. axons

CORRECT ANSWER IS: synapses

481. QUESTION: Though there is no single 'control center' for emotions, their regulation is primarily attributed to the brain region known as

A. limbic system
B. reticular formation
C. brainstem
D. cerebral cortex

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: limbic system

482. QUESTION: Which of the following is the brain structure that regulates the body's internal environment in part through influences on the autonomic nervous system and hormones?

A. hippocampus
B. amygdala
C. medulla
D. hypothalamus

CORRECT ANSWER IS: hypothalamus

483. QUESTION: Following a head injury , a person has ongoing difficulties staying awake. Most likely, the damage occurred to the

A. thalamus
B. corpus callosum
C. reticular formation
D. cerebellum

CORRECT ANSWER IS: reticular formation

484. QUESTION: The two hemispheres of the cerebral cortex are functionally symmetrical in all of the following except

A. the primary motor area
B. the primary sensory area
C. the association areas
D. none of these

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the association areas

485. QUESTION: Which of the following is typically controlled by the left hemisphere?

A. spatial reasoning
B. arithmetic reasoning
C. the left side of the body

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D. perceptual skills

CORRECT ANSWER IS: arithmetic reasoning

486. QUESTION: In humans, the brain structure that takes up the greatest percentage of total brain volume is the

A. brainstem
B. cerebral cortex
C. limbic system
D. frontal lobes

CORRECT ANSWER IS: cerebral cortex

487. QUESTION: The axon terminal of one neuron is separated from another neuron by a

A. synaptic node
B. synaptic vesicle
C. synaptic cleft
D. synaptic membrane

CORRECT ANSWER IS: synaptic cleft

488. QUESTION: Which is correct sequence in the transmission of a simple reflex?

A. sensory neuron - interneuron - sensory neuron
B. interneuron - motor neuron - sensory neuron
C. sensory neuron - interneuron - motor neuron
D. interneuron - sensory neuron - motor neuron

CORRECT ANSWER IS: sensory neuron - interneuron - motor neuron

489. QUESTION: When hira burnt her toe in a tub of hot water, the pain message was carried to her spinal cord by the _____ nervous system

A. skeletal
B. sympathetic
C. parasympathetic

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D. central

CORRECT ANSWER IS: skeletal

490. QUESTION: Studies of people with brain damage have contributed most to our understanding of which of the following?

A. the localization of function in the cerebral cortex
B. the integration of sensory and motor systems
C. the role of autonomic nervous system in coordinating messages in the brain
D. the role of brainstem in conducting sensory information to the brain

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the localization of function in the cerebral cortex

491. QUESTION: Which of the following are governed by the simplest neural pathways?

A. emotions
B. reflexes
C. physiological drivers such as hunger
D. movements such as walking

CORRECT ANSWER IS: reflexes

492. QUESTION: Within the axon terminals are vesicles that hold

A. intracellular fluid
B. charged particles
C. myelin
D. neuron transmitter molecules

CORRECT ANSWER IS: neuron transmitter molecules

493. QUESTION: The terms occipital, parietal, temporal and frontal refer to

A. subcortical structures
B. lobes of the cerebral cortex
C. functional area of the cerebral cortex

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D. processes controlled by the cerebral cortex

CORRECT ANSWER IS: lobes of the cerebral cortex

494. QUESTION: The myelin sheath that is one some neurons

A. increase the speed of neural transmission
B. regulates the release of neurotransmitters
C. slows neural transmission
D. both b and c

CORRECT ANSWER IS: increase the speed of neural transmission

495. QUESTION: You are able to pull your hand quickly away from the hot water before pain is felt because

A. movement of the hand is a reflex that involves intervention of the spinal cord only
B. movement of the hand does not require intervention by the central nervous system
C. the brain reacts quickly to prevent severe injury
D. the autonomic division of the peripheral nervous system intervenes to speed contraction of the muscles of the hand

CORRECT ANSWER IS: movement of the hand is a reflex that involves intervention of the spinal cord only

496. QUESTION: Studies of people with localized brain damage indicate that

A. most people have their language centers in the right hemisphere
B. most people have all their high-level intellectual centers in the left hemispheres
C. most people have their language centers in the left hemispheres and their spatial pictorial centers in the right hemisphere
D. most people have the speech and spatial/pictorial centers spread over both hemispheres

CORRECT ANSWER IS: most people have their language centers in the left hemispheres and their spatial pictorial centers in the right hemisphere

497. QUESTION: The chemical messengers secreted into the blood are called

A. hormones
B. neuron transmitters

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C. ions
D. extracellular fluid

CORRECT ANSWER IS: hormones

498. QUESTION: Each cell of the human body has a total of

A. 25 chromosomes
B. 23 genes
C. 45 chromosomes
D. 46 genes

CORRECT ANSWER IS: 45 chromosomes

499. QUESTION: The cerebral cortex is divided into left and right hemispheres, each with four visible lobe, which of the following would not be considered one of the lobes?

A. the parietal lobe
B. the sensory lobe
C. the temporal lobe
D. the occipital lobe

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the sensory lobe

500. QUESTION: A bodybuilder suddenly seems to have grown several inches in height. You suspect that his growth spurt has occurred because he has been using drugs that affect the

A. pituitary gland
B. thalamus
C. adrenal gland
D. cerebellum

CORRECT ANSWER IS: pituitary gland

501. QUESTION: The gland that regulates body growth is the

A. adrenal

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B. thyroid
C. hypothalamus
D. pituitary

CORRECT ANSWER IS: pituitary

502. QUESTION: Which of the following statements regarding hormones is false?

A. they are secreted into the blood by endocrine glands and other organs
B. a given hormone may effect more than one type of target issue
C. dozens of different hormones have been identified
D. the hormonal system functions independently of neural control

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the hormonal system functions independently of neural control

503. QUESTION: In the somato-sensory cortex, the amount of cortical space corresponding to a given part of the body is related to the

A. size of the body part
B. strength of the body part
C. evolution of the body part
D. sensitivity of the body part

CORRECT ANSWER IS: sensitivity of the body part

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504. QUESTION: Epinephrine and norepinephrine are _____ that are released by _____

A. neurotransmitters, pituitary
B. hormones, pituitary
C. neurotransmitters, adrenal
D. hormones, adrenal

CORRECT ANSWER IS: hormones, adrenal

505. QUESTION: The stress hormone epinephrine and norepinephrine are released by the _____ gland in response to stimulation by the _____ branch of the nervous system

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A. pituitary, sympathetic
B. pituitary, parasympathetic
C. adrenaline, sympathetic
D. adrenaline, parasympathetic

CORRECT ANSWER IS: adrenaline, sympathetic

506. QUESTION: In split-brain patients, it is possible to determine experimentally the capabilities of each hemisphere because sensory and motor information flow

A. between the left side of the body and the right hemisphere of brain
B. between the right side of the body and the left hemisphere of brain
C. from the left hemisphere of brain to right
D. a and b

CORRECT ANSWER IS: a and b

507. QUESTION: The structure of the brain that has the most direct control over the activity of the pituitary gland is the

A. amygdala
B. cortex
C. thalamus
D. hypothalamus

CORRECT ANSWER IS: hypothalamus

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508. QUESTION: The largest mass of the neuron is

A. axon
B. nucleus
C. dendrite
D. cell body

CORRECT ANSWER IS: axon

509. QUESTION: In the primary motor cortex, the amount of cortical space devoted to a given body part depends on the

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A. size of the body part
B. strength of the body part
C. fineness of motor control in the body part
D. evolutionary emergence of the body part

CORRECT ANSWER IS: fineness of motor control in the body part

510. QUESTION: During an action potential, the electrical state of the axon becomes

A. polarized as positively charged atoms are admitted
B. polarized as negatively charged atoms are admitted
C. depolarized as positively charged atoms are admitted
D. depolarized as negatively charged atoms are admitted

CORRECT ANSWER IS: depolarized as positively charged atoms are admitted

511. QUESTION: After a neutral impulse, a neuron is ready to fire again after about

A. a few minutes
B. a few thousands of a second
C. several seconds
D. a few hundredths of a second

CORRECT ANSWER IS: a few thousands of a second

512. QUESTION: Beginning at the front of the brain and working backward then down and around, which of the following is the correct order of the cortical regions?

A. occipital lobe, temporal lobe, parietal lobe, frontal lobe
B. occipital lobe, frontal lobe, temporal lobe, parietal lobe
C. parietal lobe, occipital lobe, frontal lobe, temporal lobe
D. frontal lobe, parietal lobe, occipital lobe, temporal lobe

CORRECT ANSWER IS: frontal lobe, parietal lobe, occipital lobe, temporal lobe

513. QUESTION: The neurotransmitter which influences normal memory function is/are

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A. dopamine
B. acetylcholine
C. norepinephrine
D. endorphins

CORRECT ANSWER IS: acetylcholine

514. QUESTION: The visual cortex is located in

A. occipital lobe
B. temporal lobe
C. frontal lobe
D. parietal lobe

CORRECT ANSWER IS: occipital lobe

515. QUESTION: Cross-sectional studies of intelligence are potentially misleading because

A. based on small and unrepresentative sample of people
B. retesting the same people over a period of years
C. they compare people who are only different in age but of different areas, education level and affluence
D. all of these above

CORRECT ANSWER IS: they compare people who are only different in age but of different areas, education level and affluence

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516. QUESTION: The estimated number of neurons in the human brain is

A. 100 million
B. 100 billion
C. 10 trillion
D. 100 trillion

CORRECT ANSWER IS: 100 billion

517. QUESTION: Neurotransmitters are stored in the

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A. synapse
B. synaptic cleft
C. vesicles
D. cell body

CORRECT ANSWER IS: vesicles

518. QUESTION: Endorphins are neurotransmitters which affect

A. motor skills
B. level of pain
C. memory function
D. anxiety and arousal

CORRECT ANSWER IS: level of pain

519. QUESTION: The skeletal muscles and sense organs are served primarily by the

A. autonomic nervous system
B. somatic nervous system
C. central nervous system
D. peripheral nervous system

CORRECT ANSWER IS: somatic nervous system

520. QUESTION: The function of the dendrite is

A. receiving neural impulses
B. sending neural impulses
C. storing neural impulses
D. unknown

CORRECT ANSWER IS: receiving neural impulses

521. QUESTION: The system primarily related to the behavior in the areas of motivation and emotion is the

A. endocrine system

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B. central nervous system
C. somatic nervous system
D. peripheral nervous system

CORRECT ANSWER IS: central nervous system

522. QUESTION: The role of neurotransmitters is to

A. inhibit the firing of neurons
B. enhance the firing of neurons
C. have no effect on the firing of neurons
D. either enhance or inhibit the firing of neurons

CORRECT ANSWER IS: either enhance or inhibit the firing of neurons

523. QUESTION: Which neurons carry impulses from brain or spinal cord to muscles and glands?

A. sensory
B. inter
C. motor
D. dorsal

CORRECT ANSWER IS: motor

524. QUESTION: This is a function of myelin

A. speeds the transmission of neural impulses
B. aids the production of new neurons
C. promotes the regeneration of damaged neurons
D. acts as protective covering for the nucleus of the neurons

CORRECT ANSWER IS: speeds the transmission of neural impulses

525. QUESTION: Smooth muscle movements such as swinging a baseball bat are controlled by the

A. cerebellum
B. pons

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C. medulla
D. cerebrum

CORRECT ANSWER IS: cerebellum

526. QUESTION: For most right handed individuals a stroke would be most damaging if it occurs in the

A. right hemisphere
B. left hemisphere
C. cerebellum
D. temporal lobes

CORRECT ANSWER IS: left hemisphere

527. QUESTION: The minimum stimulation required to get a neuron to fire is called the

A. action potential
B. resting potential
C. neural threshold
D. ion differential

CORRECT ANSWER IS: neural threshold

528. QUESTION: Neurotransmitters are contained in

A. vesicles
B. cell body
C. nucleus
D. axon terminals

CORRECT ANSWER IS: vesicles

529. QUESTION: Aliza is watching a horror movie and has become frighteneD. Her heart is ponding and she is breathing rapidly. Although she may not be aware of it, her body is producing extra Adeline. All these changes are in response to the

A. central nervous system

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B. sympathetic nervous system
C. endocrine system
D. parasympathetic nervous system

CORRECT ANSWER IS: sympathetic nervous system

530. QUESTION: What is monitored by the hypothalamus?

A. anger
B. waking up
C. itching
D. feeling thirsty

CORRECT ANSWER IS: feeling thirsty

531. QUESTION: Reflexes like eye blinks are controlled by the

A. spinal cord
B. medulla
C. pons
D. cerebrum

CORRECT ANSWER IS: spinal cord

532. QUESTION: The fibers connecting the two hemispheres form the

A. cerebral cortex
B. cerebral connector
C. corpus callosum
D. synaptic cleft

CORRECT ANSWER IS: corpus callosum

533. QUESTION: Choose the word that does not belong in the set

A. dendrites
B. bipolar cell

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C. myelin sheath
D. axon

CORRECT ANSWER IS: bipolar cell

534. QUESTION: The work of Paul Broca led him to conclude that

A. the inability to speak is always psychogenically induces
B. hearing can be explained by his theory of resonance
C. aphasia can have an organic basis
D. extirpation is particularly useful for the study of human subjects

CORRECT ANSWER IS: aphasia can have an organic basis

535. QUESTION: The two major divisions of the autonomic nervous system are

A. somatic and peripheral
B. brain and spinal cord
C. parietal and occipital
D. sympathetic and parasympathetic

CORRECT ANSWER IS: sympathetic and parasympathetic

536. QUESTION: Who was noted for covering psychological development across an entire lifespan?

A. Jean Piaget
B. Harry Harlow
C. Carol Gilligan
D. Erik Erikson

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Erik Erikson

537. QUESTION: Extensive studies regarding child behavior have been made by

A. Arnold, Erickson and Piaget
B. Freud, Erickson and William James
C. Arnold and William Wundt

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D. Jean Piaget and William James

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Arnold, Erickson and Piaget

538. QUESTION: A researcher is interested in studying the development of creativity in children. She develops an appropriate test and gives it to three group of children: 3-year olds, 4-year olds and 5-year olds. Once a year for the next five years, she tests the creativity of her original subjects. This study is an example of a

A. cross-sectional study
B. sequential cohort study
C. longitudinal study
D. case study

CORRECT ANSWER IS: sequential cohort study

539. QUESTION: Strong evidence suggests that the newborn

A. sees only blurred shadows
B. has visual capacity for pattern discrimination
C. sees clearly but not in color
D. visual tracks successfully

CORRECT ANSWER IS: has visual capacity for pattern discrimination

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540. QUESTION: Innate behavior patterns develop primarily as a function of

A. instrumental conditioning
B. maturation
C. learning
D. infant stimulation

CORRECT ANSWER IS: instrumental conditioning

541. QUESTION: When mother hides his favorite toy under a blanket, he acts as though it no longer exists and makes no attempt to retrieve it. She is clearly in Piaget's _____ stages.

A. concrete operational

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B. formal operational
C. sensorimotor
D. preoperational

CORRECT ANSWER IS: sensorimotor

542. QUESTION: The term 'peers' refers to

A. school friends
B. persons from same background
C. persons with different ages
D. city fellows

CORRECT ANSWER IS: school friends

543. QUESTION: Erikson's trust vs mistrust stage occurs during

A. middle childhood
B. early childhood
C. infancy
D. early adulthood

CORRECT ANSWER IS: infancy

544. QUESTION: The sex of a baby, male or female, is determined by

A. the mother
B. the father
C. testosterone
D. hormone balance at conception

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the father

545. QUESTION: The newborn:

A. engages in babbling
B. vocalizes socially

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C. engages smiles socially
D. has the capability for basic learning

CORRECT ANSWER IS: vocalizes socially

546. QUESTION: The stages of cognitive development associated with Piaget are _____ in number.

A. seven
B. six
C. two
D. four

CORRECT ANSWER IS: four

547. QUESTION: If the gene for blue eyes is recessive and if a child have blue eyes, which of the following must be true?

A. both parents have blue eyes
B. the child's sibling has brown eyes
C. each parent has at least one blue eye gene
D. at least one parent must have blue eyes

CORRECT ANSWER IS: each parent has at least one blue eye gene

548. QUESTION: What would not be expected in the newborn?

A. well developed temperature sensitivity
B. well developed pain sensitivity
C. Moro reflex
D. well developed grasping reflex

CORRECT ANSWER IS: well developed pain sensitivity

549. QUESTION: According to Erikson, the central crisis of adolescence is

A. identity vs confusion
B. trust vs mistrust
C. industry vs inferiority

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D. intimacy vs isolation

CORRECT ANSWER IS: identity vs confusion

550. QUESTION: The relationship between a child's intellectual development and the age at which the child first walks is

A. strong
B. moderate
C. nonexistent
D. lower

CORRECT ANSWER IS: nonexistent

551. QUESTION: When a child modifies an existing cognitive schema to make it compatible with the cognitive aspects of an incoming stimulus, the process is called

A. assimilation
B. adaptation
C. conservation
D. accommodation

CORRECT ANSWER IS: accommodation

552. QUESTION: A child is shown two identical balls of clay, sees one of them rolled into a rod shape, and is then asked which ball contains more clay. This child is being tested for an understanding of

A. object permanence
B. conservation of substance
C. the reversibility of actions
D. logical possibilities

CORRECT ANSWER IS: conservation of substance

553. QUESTION: The correct sequence is

A. zygote, fetus, embryo, neonate, infant
B. zygote, neonate, fetus, embryo, infant

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C. fetus, zygote, neonate, embryo, infant
D. zygote, embryo, fetus, neonate, infant

CORRECT ANSWER IS: zygote, embryo, fetus, neonate, infant

554. QUESTION: In comparative physical growth curves, females

A. develop more slowly than males
B. develop more rapidly than males
C. develop at the same rate as males
D. develop more rapidly than males during the first six years

CORRECT ANSWER IS: develop more rapidly than males

555. QUESTION: Genotype : phenotype

A. aptitude : performance
B. identical : fraternal
C. heredity : appearance
D. prenatal : postnatal

CORRECT ANSWER IS: heredity : appearance

556. QUESTION: Because of the rate of a child's physiological development, parents should

A. initiate toilet training when the child begins to walk
B. initiate toilet training when the child begins to talk
C. toilet train at the same time as the child is weaned
D. wait until at least age two for toilet training

CORRECT ANSWER IS: wait until at least age two for toilet training

557. QUESTION: The tendency of infants to bring all novel objects to their mouths is an example of which of the following Piagetian processes?

A. sublimation
B. accommodation

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C. primary circular reaction
D. assimilation

CORRECT ANSWER IS: assimilation

558. QUESTION: The brain of the newborn

A. is the least-developed aspect of the child's body
B. will not permit any reflex activity immediately after birth
C. is fully developed
D. will continue to grow in size

CORRECT ANSWER IS: will continue to grow in size

559. QUESTION: According to Piaget, the process through which a young child relates something he sees to something he already knows is called

A. accommodation
B. assimilation
C. formal operation
D. concrete operation

CORRECT ANSWER IS: formal operation

560. QUESTION: Harlow's experiments demonstrate that female infant monkeys raised in isolation with a cloth mother

A. develop normally in all respects
B. develop normally, but are totally inadequate as mothers
C. have unresolved Oedipal conflicts
D. die at an earlier age than monkeys raised normally

CORRECT ANSWER IS: develop normally, but are totally inadequate as mothers

561. QUESTION: A correct sequential rendering of the prenatal development stages is

A. fetal, germinal, embryonic
B. germinal, fetal, embryonic

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C. germinal, embryonic, fetal
D. embryonic, germinal, fetal

CORRECT ANSWER IS: germinal, embryonic, fetal

562. QUESTION: What three styles of parenting did Baumrind identify:

A. autocratic, democratic, laissez-faire
B. authoritarian, authoritative, permissive
C. pre-conventional, conventional, post-conventional
D. moving against, moving toward, moving away from

CORRECT ANSWER IS: authoritarian, authoritative, permissive

563. QUESTION: Kohlberg indicates that at the most primitive level of moral development, morality is decided by

A. reward and punishment
B. individual conscience
C. social approval
D. religious values

CORRECT ANSWER IS: reward and punishment

564. QUESTION: Piaget contented that the initial forms of thought are

A. early action schemes
B. verbal symbols
C. visual symbols
D. spoken (not mental) verbal symbols

CORRECT ANSWER IS: early action schemes

565. QUESTION: This is a characteristic of fetal period

A. initial indications of sensitivity to stimulation
B. highest susceptibility to diseases
C. greatest susceptibility to the effects to thalidomide

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D. initiation of heartbeat

CORRECT ANSWER IS: initial indications of sensitivity to stimulation

566. QUESTION: Which of the following can be inferred from most twin studies?

A. differences between dizygotic twins are most likely the product of environmental factors
B. differences between monozygotic twins are most likely the product of environmental factors
C. differences between monozygotic and dizygotic twins are most likely the product of environmental factors
D. differences between dizygotic twins are most likely the product of genetic factors

CORRECT ANSWER IS: differences between monozygotic twins are most likely the product of environmental factors

567. QUESTION: According to Piaget, a child can represent things with words and images but cannot reason with logic during the ____ stage.

A. concrete operational
B. sensorimotor
C. formal operational
D. preoperational

CORRECT ANSWER IS: preoperational

568. QUESTION: The earliest emotion evident in the newborn is

A. delight
B. shyness
C. affection
D. excitement

CORRECT ANSWER IS: excitement

569. QUESTION: When a child acquires the ability to represent the world internally through the use of symbols, he enters which of Piaget's stages of cognitive development?

A. sensorimotor
B. secondary circular reactions

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C. concrete operational
D. preoperational

CORRECT ANSWER IS: preoperational

570. QUESTION: During the third through the eight week of pregnancy, the developing child can be accurately referred to as the

A. prenate
B. zygote
C. embryo
D. fetus

CORRECT ANSWER IS: embryo

571. QUESTION: Identical twins raised separately and found to have similar IQ are cited as examples of the contribution made to intelligence by

A. environment
B. heredity
C. infant stimulation
D. parental interaction

CORRECT ANSWER IS: heredity

572. QUESTION: According to Piaget, the sensorimotor stage is characterized by

A. concrete operations
B. formal operations
C. primary and secondary circular reactions
D. conservation

CORRECT ANSWER IS: primary and secondary circular reactions

573. QUESTION: Which of the following represents correct progression of Piaget's four stages of cognitive development?

A. preoperational, sensorimotor, concrete operations, formal operations

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B. sensorimotor, preoperational, concrete operations, formal operations
C. formal operations, preoperational, sensorimotor, concrete operations
D. sensorimotor, preoperational, formal operations, concrete operations

CORRECT ANSWER IS: sensorimotor, preoperational, concrete operations, formal operations

574. QUESTION: The method of study compares children at various ages simultaneously. It is the _____ method.

A. longitudinal
B. clinical
C. naturalistic
D. cross-sectional

CORRECT ANSWER IS: cross-sectional

575. QUESTION: Which of the following is commonly referred to as the father of developmental psychology?

A. G. Stanley Hall
B. Sigmund Freud
C. Erik Erikson
D. William James

CORRECT ANSWER IS: G. Stanley Hall

576. QUESTION: Throughout the first three months after birth, there is

A. an increase in day sleep and a decrease in night sleep
B. a decrease in day sleep and an increase in night sleep
C. no changes in sleeping schedule
D. increased day sleep for boys, decreased day sleep for girls

CORRECT ANSWER IS: a decrease in day sleep and an increase in night sleep

577. QUESTION: Which of the following is an incorrect stage theory pairing?

A. Piaget - cognitive
B. Kohlberg - physiological

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C. Freud - psychosexual
D. Erikson - psychosocial

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Kohlberg - physiological

578. QUESTION: High correlation with premature birth has been found in cases where the mother's behavior included

A. depression
B. exposure to radiation
C. smoking
D. alcoholic beverages

CORRECT ANSWER IS: smoking

579. QUESTION: Experiments with children have suggested that the point at which a child begins to walk is primarily a function of

A. learning
B. environment
C. modeling
D. maturation

CORRECT ANSWER IS: maturation

580. QUESTION: Assume that if a person has a particular genetic disease, there's 50 percent chance that his sibling will also have the disease. If an afflicted person has a fraternal twin what is the chance that the fraternal twin has the disease?

A. 100 present
B. 50 percent
C. 75 percent
D. 25 percent

CORRECT ANSWER IS: 50 percent

581. QUESTION: Moro response of a newborn is

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A. sucking
B. grasping reflex
C. toes curling upward and outward
D. arms and legs stretched outward suddenly

CORRECT ANSWER IS: arms and legs stretched outward suddenly

582. QUESTION: Newborns

A. cannot discriminate differences in tonal pitch
B. have good eye-muscle coordination
C. have prominent sphincter-muscle control
D. can detect color and shape

CORRECT ANSWER IS: can detect color and shape

583. QUESTION: You know that even though the toy boat has been placed in the filled aquarium tank, the tank itself still contains the same amount of water. In Piagetian terms this is _____ conversation.

A. number
B. substance
C. length
D. volume

CORRECT ANSWER IS: volume

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584. QUESTION: If an individual is facing the psychological crisis of identity versus role confusion, according to Erik Erikson's model, that individual is most likely

A. a preadolescent
B. an adolescent
C. a young adult
D. a middle-aged adult

CORRECT ANSWER IS: an adolescent

585. QUESTION: The first two years after birth are critical

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A. to self-concept formation
B. to sensory formation
C. to aptitude formation
D. to formation of secondary sexual characteristics

CORRECT ANSWER IS: to self-concept formation

586. QUESTION: In gamete development, the fact that each mature egg or sperm contains only one chromosome from each pair is attributable to a process known as

A. fertilization
B. immunization
C. reduction division
D. zygotic division

CORRECT ANSWER IS: reduction division

587. QUESTION: DNA refers to the

A. molecular configuration making up chromosomes
B. germ-cell configurations in genes
C. atom structure in genes
D. neural structure in cell bodies

CORRECT ANSWER IS: molecular configuration making up chromosomes

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588. QUESTION: Severe anoxia at birth will result in damage to the

A. brain
B. lungs
C. heart
D. liver

CORRECT ANSWER IS: brain

589. QUESTION: Socially the young child can only attend to one dimension at a time. In cognitive terms this is called

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A. accommodation
B. egocentrism
C. assimilation
D. reversibility

CORRECT ANSWER IS: egocentrism

590. QUESTION: The period of the embryo spans the time from the end of

A. first week to end of second month
B. second week to end of second month
C. third week to end of second month
D. first week to end of first month

CORRECT ANSWER IS: second week to end of second month

591. QUESTION: The method od studying development using groups of people that vary in age and are measured at the same time is called

A. longitudinal study
B. field study
C. quasi-experiment
D. cross-sectional study

CORRECT ANSWER IS: cross-sectional study

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592. QUESTION: That the upper part of the body develops earlier than the lower part is termed

A. proximodorsal
B. cephalocaudal
C. corticodistal
D. general to specific

CORRECT ANSWER IS: cephalocaudal

593. QUESTION: Experiments demonstrate that infants register strongest preference for which of the following visual stimuli?

A. plain, solid colors
B. bright colors
C. likenesses of human faces
D. likenesses of animals and pets

CORRECT ANSWER IS: likenesses of human faces

594. QUESTION: One boy has brown eyes. His twin brother has blue eyes. This information enables a person to conclude that the two

A. are identical twins
B. are fraternal twins
C. are monozygotic
D. have blue-eyed parents

CORRECT ANSWER IS: are fraternal twins

595. QUESTION: Piaget's concept of scheme is

A. a mental representation of some aspect of external world
B. a mental blueprint for an organized pattern of action
C. a deliberate plan of action
D. a set of relaxed experiences

CORRECT ANSWER IS: a mental blueprint for an organized pattern of action

596. QUESTION: Who would comment that environment is of central importance?

A. Wundt
B. Dewey
C. Darwin
D. Watson

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Watson

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597. QUESTION: What is a continuing function of heredity after birth?

A. transduction
B. maturation
C. learning
D. habituation

CORRECT ANSWER IS: maturation

598. QUESTION: In Piaget's theory of cognitive development, internalizing of action schemes is the major task of the _____ stage.

A. sensorimotor
B. preoperational
C. formal operational
D. concrete-operational

CORRECT ANSWER IS: sensorimotor

599. QUESTION: Which of the following statements best characterizes the relationship between genotype and phenotype?

A. the genotype reflects pure hereditary influences while the phenotype reflects those of the environment
B. the genotype is the organism's finite potential which interacts with the environment to form the phenotype
C. phenotype determines genotype
D. genotype determines phenotype

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the genotype is the organism's finite potential which interacts with the environment to form the phenotype

600. QUESTION: Developmentally, what refers to reduction division?

A. mitosis
B. heterocyst
C. morphosis
D. meiosis

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: meiosis

601. QUESTION: A major criticism of stage theories relates to the point that

A. they ignore developmental norms
B. they fail to account for sudden changes in behavior
C. they are overly predicable
D. they oversimplify and ignore individual variations

CORRECT ANSWER IS: they oversimplify and ignore individual variations

602. QUESTION: Friends become differentiated from strangers during which of the following young ages?

A. twelve months
B. six to seven months
C. one to two months
D. three to four months

CORRECT ANSWER IS: six to seven months

603. QUESTION: An average 10-month old infant will most likely:

A. exhibit stranger anxiety
B. display the Moro reflex
C. have mastered conservation
D. be entering the zone of proximal development

CORRECT ANSWER IS: exhibit stranger anxiety

604. QUESTION: The prenatal period during which X-rays and specific drugs can have the most detrimental effect upon development is

A. the first eight weeks
B. the second to fourth months
C. the six to eight months
D. the fifth to seventh months

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: the first eight weeks

605. QUESTION: Mitosis refers to

A. union of sperm and ovum
B. cell division and multiplication
C. skeletal muscle tissue development
D. nerve tissue development

CORRECT ANSWER IS: cell division and multiplication

606. QUESTION: Kohlberg's moral developmental stages are closely related to

A. Freud's psychosexual stages
B. Erikson's psychosexual stages
C. Piaget's cognitive developmental stages
D. Dollard and Miller's learning stages

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Piaget's cognitive developmental stages

607. QUESTION: Humans normally have 46 chromosomes. A person born with an extra 21st chromosome (47 in all) would have

A. Turner's syndrome
B. Kleinfelter's syndrome
C. Down's syndrome
D. Pickwickian's syndrome

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Down's syndrome

608. QUESTION: Which one of the following combinations would not be possible in a set of triplets?

A. three fraternal
B. three identical
C. two identical, one fraternal
D. two fraternal, one identical

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: two fraternal, one identical

609. QUESTION: In the newborn's second year, the rate of growth

A. is faster than that of the first year
B. is slower than that of first year
C. parallels that of the first year
D. is faster than that of the fetal period

CORRECT ANSWER IS: is slower than that of first year

610. QUESTION: Fertilization of human eggs normally takes place in the

A. uterus
B. ovaries
C. cervix
D. fallopian tubes

CORRECT ANSWER IS: fallopian tubes

611. QUESTION: The toy train disappears into a tunnel. From the child's cognitive perspective, the train is gone (in effect, no longer exists). This cognitive experience expresses an absence of _____ and is characteristic of _____.

A. object permanence, the sensorimotor stage
B. reversibility, the conservation stage
C. assimilation, the conservation stage
D. accommodation, the concrete operations stage

CORRECT ANSWER IS: object permanence, the sensorimotor stage

612. QUESTION: The XO combination in females is primarily associated with:

A. PKU
B. Kleinfelter's
C. Down's syndrome
D. Turner's syndrome

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: Turner's syndrome

613. QUESTION: The stage of Piaget's theory of cognitive development occurs during adolescence and refers to the ability to reason about abstract concepts and principles and evaluate issues in the broader social environment?

A. formal-operational
B. concrete-operational
C. sensorimotor
D. preoperational

CORRECT ANSWER IS: formal-operational

614. QUESTION: Which of the following expressions could act as a substitution for 'nature-nature controversy' without hanging the basic meaning?

A. heredity-maturation controversy
B. environment-learning controversy
C. achievement-acquisition controversy
D. heredity-environment controversy

CORRECT ANSWER IS: heredity-environment controversy

615. QUESTION: In Piaget's classification system, the child learns language and the logic of classification and numbers during which period?

A. sensorimotor
B. latency
C. formal operations
D. concrete operation

CORRECT ANSWER IS: concrete operation

616. QUESTION: According to Piaget, the ability to 'think like a scientist' is characteristic of which of the following developmental stages?

A. preoperational
B. sensorimotor

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C. formal operational
D. post-conventional

CORRECT ANSWER IS: formal operational

617. QUESTION: What is a correct development sequence?

A. ovum-sperm, blastocyst, zygote
B. blastocyst, ovum-sperm, zygote
C. blastocyst, zygote, ovum-sperm
D. ovum-sperm, zygote, blastocyst

CORRECT ANSWER IS: ovum-sperm, zygote, blastocyst

618. QUESTION: According to Piaget, a child who is confident that the quantity of milk is a glass does not change when it is poured into a glass of different shape is probably

A. between 3 and 5 years old
B. able to conserve volume
C. in the preoperational stage of cognitive development
D. engaging in egocentric patterns of play

CORRECT ANSWER IS: able to conserve volume

619. QUESTION: The term congenital means

A. genetic
B. present at birth
C. embryonic
D. recessive characteristic

CORRECT ANSWER IS: present at birth

620. QUESTION: The processes of growth and development are

A. constant
B. continuous

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C. slow
D. both b and c

CORRECT ANSWER IS: continuous

621. QUESTION: The children's game of 'peak-a-boo' centers around which of the following developmental concepts?

A. schema
B. conservation
C. formal operational
D. object permanence

CORRECT ANSWER IS: object permanence

622. QUESTION: What is produced by tactile stimulation of a newborn's cheek?

A. Babkin response
B. rooting response
C. Moro response
D. grasping response

CORRECT ANSWER IS: rooting response

623. QUESTION: A person performing calculus computations has attained which one of the following stages of cognitive development?

A. sensorimotor operation
B. formal operations
C. preoperational
D. concrete operation

CORRECT ANSWER IS: formal operations

624. QUESTION: Who most stressed the importance of maturation in development?

A. Jean Piaget
B. John Locke

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C. Arnold Gesell
D. Lev Vygotsky

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Arnold Gesell

625. QUESTION: During a child's first two years, the child's weight concept is

A. based entirely on stimulus brightness
B. based entirely on stimulus size
C. based entirely on stimulus shape
D. based entirely on stimulus color

CORRECT ANSWER IS: based entirely on stimulus size

626. QUESTION: Within the human embryo, activity related to the development of hair and nails is centered in the

A. mesoderm
B. endoderm
C. exoderm
D. ectoderm

CORRECT ANSWER IS: ectoderm

627. QUESTION: According to Piaget, children who can think symbolically about absent objects and can appreciate the stable properties of those objects, but cannot think logically about actions that produce change, are at the _____ stage.

A. formal-operational
B. concrete-operational
C. preoperational
D. sensorimotor

CORRECT ANSWER IS: preoperational

628. QUESTION: The neonate has well-developed:

A. temperature-regulation mechanisms

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B. immunity to various infections
C. pain sensitivity
D. auditory acuteness

CORRECT ANSWER IS: auditory acuteness

629. QUESTION: The basic thesis of Newcomb's theory is that

A. persons with similar orientations are attracted to each other
B. persons with widely differing backgrounds are attracted to each other
C. complementarity is essentially prominent except in courtship and marital relationship
D. cognitive dissonance prevails in interpersonal attraction

CORRECT ANSWER IS: persons with similar orientations are attracted to each other

630. QUESTION: In order to understand that a ball of clay can take a different shape without either losing or gaining substance, which of Piaget's stages must the child have reached?

A. sensorimotor
B. preoperational
C. formal operational
D. concrete-operational

CORRECT ANSWER IS: concrete-operational

631. QUESTION: A change in the structure of a gene that leads to minor of major changes in an organism's physical constitution is

A. mitosis
B. meiosis
C. parthenogenesis
D. mutation

CORRECT ANSWER IS: mutation

632. QUESTION: The process of interpreting new information in terms of existing schema is termed

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A. assimilation
B. ideation
C. conservation
D. accommodation

CORRECT ANSWER IS: assimilation

633. QUESTION: At what point could a newborn be expected to have the capacity for visually tracking a moving object?

A. immediately after birth
B. within a few days after birth
C. during the second week after birth
D. at the end of the first month after birth

CORRECT ANSWER IS: within a few days after birth

634. QUESTION: Anoxia is

A. a disease of the blood cells
B. hyperventilation
C. interruption of the oxygen supply to brain
D. an oversupply of oxygen to the brain

CORRECT ANSWER IS: interruption of the oxygen supply to brain

635. QUESTION: In Piaget's view, the primary difference between a 9-year-old and a 13-year-old is that the older child can think in terms of

A. possibilities as well as realities
B. cause-and-effect mechanisms
C. concrete operations
D. assimilation and accommodation

CORRECT ANSWER IS: possibilities as well as realities

636. QUESTION: If a fetus inherits an X chromosomes from its mother and a Y chromosome from its father, but does not produce androgens, it will

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A. have female genotype and a masculine phenotype
B. have a masculine genotype and a masculine phenotype
C. have a masculine genotype and a feminine phenotype
D. have a feminine genotype and a feminine phenotype

CORRECT ANSWER IS: have a masculine genotype and a feminine phenotype

637. QUESTION: If one set of monozygotic twins is diagnosed as manic depressive, there is a 72% chance the other twin will have manic depression. If one of a set of dizygotic twins is diagnosed as manic depressive, there is 14% chance the other twin also will have it. From this information you could conclude that

A. environmental factors have a major role in manic depression
B. the percentage difference between monozygotic and dizygotic is no significant
C. genetic factors have a major role in manic depression
D. Seligman's theory has been supported by the data

CORRECT ANSWER IS: genetic factors have a major role in manic depression

638. QUESTION: According to Erikson's developmental theory, the maturity stage deals with which of the following crises?

A. initiative vs. guilt
B. autonomy vs. doubt
C. integrity vs. despair
D. intimacy vs. isolation

CORRECT ANSWER IS: integrity vs. despair

639. QUESTION: Research has shown that children who are reared by strict punishment usually

A. become criminals
B. grow up to be passive
C. enlist in the armed forces
D. grow up to be aggressive

CORRECT ANSWER IS: grow up to be aggressive

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640. QUESTION: The sequence in which infants first attempt to communicate is

A. babbling, cooing, laughing, then consonant speech
B. crying, cooing, babbling, then patterned speech
C. crying, babbling, hand gestures, then simple speech
D. babbling, laughing, simple speech, words

CORRECT ANSWER IS: crying, cooing, babbling, then patterned speech

641. QUESTION: According to Piaget, schemas are

A. fixed sequences of cognitive developmental stages
B. children's way of coming to terms with their sexuality
C. people's conceptual frameworks for understanding their experiences
D. problem-solving strategies that are typically not developed until the formal operational stage

CORRECT ANSWER IS: people's conceptual frameworks for understanding their experiences

642. QUESTION: The Strange Situation is used in order to study

A. infant attachment
B. Hawthorne effect
C. groupthink
D. diffusion of responsibility

CORRECT ANSWER IS: infant attachment

643. QUESTION: Birth typically occurs after

A. forty weeks conception
B. thirty eight weeks conception
C. thirty four weeks conception
D. twenty eight weeks conception

CORRECT ANSWER IS: thirty eight weeks conception

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644. QUESTION: According to Kohlberg's theory of moral development, the morality of self-accepted principles is characterized by

A. a focus on good and bad behavior
B. an understanding of individual rights, ideals and principles
C. premoral behavior
D. important peer and social relations

CORRECT ANSWER IS: an understanding of individual rights, ideals and principles

645. QUESTION: In most social settings, the theory of social attraction of which one of the following appears most applicable?

A. Winch
B. Webster
C. Finch
D. Newcomb

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Newcomb

646. QUESTION: Who would be most concerned with the development of imagery and verbal systems in the infant, and how they are interwoven?

A. Skinner
B. Bruner
C. Miller
D. Brown

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Bruner

647. QUESTION: A three-year old obeys rules in order to gain rewards and avoid punishment. The child is at Kohlberg's _____ stage of moral development.

A. social
B. preconventional
C. conventional
D. level six

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: preconventional

648. QUESTION: Apraxia is characterized by an inability to

A. organize movements in terms of purpose
B. do something when instructed verbally
C. make movements
D. both a and b

CORRECT ANSWER IS: both a and b

649. QUESTION: Kohlberg devised his theory of moral development through the use of

A. naturalistic observations of children
B. verbal responses to hypothetical moral dilemmas
C. themes in mythology
D. objective personality inventories

CORRECT ANSWER IS: verbal responses to hypothetical moral dilemmas

650. QUESTION: Longitudinal researches investigate

A. behavior through times as subjects age
B. behavior of different ages are compared
C. behavior of school going children
D. none of these

CORRECT ANSWER IS: behavior through times as subjects age

651. QUESTION: The palmar reflex, present in neonates, refers to which behavior?

A. sucking
B. startle response
C. hand grasping
D. head turning

CORRECT ANSWER IS: hand grasping

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652. QUESTION: Which of the following is found in newborns?

A. almost immediate emotional response to their mothers
B. partial taste sensitivity
C. fear of strangers
D. babbling

CORRECT ANSWER IS: partial taste sensitivity

653. QUESTION: The ability that humans have innate abilities to use syntax and grammar correctly is _____ position.

A. the learning theory
B. Chomsky's
C. Broca's
D. B.F. Skinner

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Chomsky's

654. QUESTION: Chromosomal anomalies can be recognized by slanting eyes and flat nose, making children like north-eastern Asia is called as

A. Down's syndrome
B. PKU
C. Langdon Down's syndrome
D. none of these

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Down's syndrome

655. QUESTION: If a child misses the 'critical period' for some personal development such as talking or cognitive skills

A. they can make it up if they are provided with remedial training
B. they will develop other comparable skills
C. the skill may never develop or, at best, be severely limited
D. it will not matter, because humans can learn throughout their lives

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the skill may never develop or, at best, be severely limited

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656. QUESTION: Erikson proposed that trust or mistrust develops during the

A. muscular-anal stage
B. latency stage
C. oral-sensory stage
D. maturity stage

CORRECT ANSWER IS: oral-sensory stage

657. QUESTION: According to Roger Brown and other psycholinguistic researchers, children refine the way they apply grammatical rules through

A. positive reinforcement from caregivers
B. positive conditioning from caregivers
C. experience and self-correction
D. memorizing of what others say

CORRECT ANSWER IS: experience and self-correction

658. QUESTION: Stimulation of the cheek will cause a newborn to begin making sucking responses. This illustrates the _____ reflex.

A. Perkinjie
B. Korsakoff
C. startle
D. rooting

CORRECT ANSWER IS: rooting

659. QUESTION: According to Montreal Studies, the original infant emotions upon which all others are based is

A. fear
B. love
C. distress
D. excitement

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: excitement

660. QUESTION: The fact that blind babies begin to smile at about the same time as sighted babies supports the _____ view of emotional development.

A. cognitive
B. nativist
C. behavioral
D. empirical

CORRECT ANSWER IS: nativist

661. QUESTION: Which of the following choice is not characteristic of infantile autism?

A. language problem
B. brain lesions
C. bizarre behavior
D. extreme aloneness

CORRECT ANSWER IS: brain lesions

662. QUESTION: What might be elicited by stroking the bottom of a baby's foot?

A. Neo-pad reflex
B. Moro reflex
C. Babinski reflex
D. Palmar reflex

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Babinski reflex

663. QUESTION: A person's full set of genes is called the

A. phenotype
B. genotype
C. germ cells
D. poly genes

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: genotype

664. QUESTION: The phrase 'me milk' and 'give ball' are examples of _____ speech.

A. semantic
B. syntactic
C. incongruent
D. telegraphic

CORRECT ANSWER IS: telegraphic

665. QUESTION: During the pre-moral stage described by Kohlberg's moral development theory, children

A. think bad behavior is punished and good behavior is not punished
B. have no conception of good or bad behavior
C. are amoral
D. are uncooperative

CORRECT ANSWER IS: think bad behavior is punished and good behavior is not punished

666. QUESTION: Adjustment to postnatal environment is accomplished

A. more quickly among males than females
B. more quickly among females than males
C. with equal speed and ease by both males and females
D. more quickly among European than Asian

CORRECT ANSWER IS: more quickly among females than males

667. QUESTION: According to Kohlberg, an individual in a stage of conventional morality would be most concerned with

A. gaining rewards
B. gaining approval
C. avoiding punishment
D. achieving fairness

CORRECT ANSWER IS: gaining approval

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668. QUESTION: As opposed to longitudinal design, a cross-sectional study is able to control for

A. cohort effects
B. demand characteristics
C. experimenter bias
D. the Hawthorne effect

CORRECT ANSWER IS: cohort effects

669. QUESTION: The process through which heredity caused development of bodily functions is called

A. accommodation
B. tracking
C. maturation
D. adaptation

CORRECT ANSWER IS: maturation

670. QUESTION: One of the reflexes found in infants is the rooting reflex. This refers to

A. attempts by the babies to burrow into their blankets
B. the fact that stimulation of the cheek will cause the infant to turn towards the source of stimulation and suck
C. the tendency of infants to spread out their limbs when they are tossed into the air
D. the fact that if something is placed in the palm of the hand, the infant will close hand tightly

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the fact that stimulation of the cheek will cause the infant to turn towards the source of stimulation and suck

671. QUESTION: During a child's development, if the amount of frustration and anxiety becomes too great concerning movement to the next stage, development may come to a halt. The individual is said to become

A. dependent
B. passive
C. fixated
D. regressive

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: fixated

672. QUESTION: Macoby and Jacklin found support for which of the following gender differences?

A. better mathematical skills in girls
B. better mathematical skills in boys
C. better verbal ability in girls
D. better verbal ability in boys

CORRECT ANSWER IS: better verbal ability in girls

673. QUESTION: First born child have been shown to

A. be more dependent than later born
B. be more affiliative when fearful, than later born
C. be more intelligent than later born children
D. all of the above

CORRECT ANSWER IS: all of the above

674. QUESTION: Word order in a sentence is determined by which of the following types of rules?

A. Phonological
B. Morphological
C. Prosody
D. Syntax

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Syntax

675. QUESTION: Piaget noted that some children will mimic a behavior or repeat a phrase that they heard a day or so earlier. He called the phenomena

A. modeling
B. delayed flattery
C. deferred imitation
D. retrograde play

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: deferred imitation

676. QUESTION: What is not a well defined stage of language acquisition?

A. babbling
B. three words
C. two words
D. one word

CORRECT ANSWER IS: three words

677. QUESTION: Which group of theorists offer stage models of development?

A. Piaget, Freud and Erikson
B. Piaget, Freud and Kohlberg
C. Freud, Maslow and Watson
D. Freud, Erikson and Kohlberg

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Piaget, Freud and Erikson

678. QUESTION: The last stage in Erikson's theory of psychosocial development wherein a person reflects on their life is

A. productivity vs stagnation
B. integrity vs despair
C. competence vs inferiority
D. pride vs regret

CORRECT ANSWER IS: integrity vs despair

679. QUESTION: According to Piaget, the child's basic development process includes

A. assimilation
B. schemas
C. accommodation
D. all of the above

CORRECT ANSWER IS: all of the above

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680. QUESTION: Macoby and Jacklin found that one of the few true gender differences seems to be

A. better visual ability in girls
B. better spatial ability in boys
C. more compassion in girls
D. better science skills in boys

CORRECT ANSWER IS: better spatial ability in boys

681. QUESTION: Egocentrism is observed in children during the _____ stage.

A. formal-operational
B. preoperational
C. telegraphic speech
D. sensorimotor

CORRECT ANSWER IS: preoperational

682. QUESTION: According to Erikson, a child four to six years of age is in which stage of development?

A. latency stage
B. muscular-anal stage
C. locomotor-genital stage
D. oral-sensory stage

CORRECT ANSWER IS: locomotor-genital stage

683. QUESTION: When a child understands that reversible changes in the appearance of an object do not change fundamental properties such as number, width and volume, the child has achieved

A. conservation
B. egocentrism
C. hypothetic-deductive reasoning
D. an understanding of cause-and-effect relations

CORRECT ANSWER IS: conservation

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684. QUESTION: Among the following, the incorrect pairing is

A. fetal period - eight week until birth
B. germinal period - first two weeks
C. embryonic period - second week until eighth week
D. embryonic period - rapid neural development

CORRECT ANSWER IS: germinal period - first two weeks

685. QUESTION: Diana Baumrind found that which parenting style produces the most well-adjusted children?

A. Authoritative
B. Authoritarian
C. Permissive
D. Attached

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Authoritative

686. QUESTION: The type of study construction in which different subjects at different developmental levels are compared is a

A. longitudinal study
B. cross-sectional study
C. field study
D. group construction

CORRECT ANSWER IS: cross-sectional study

687. QUESTION: Speech like but meaningless sounds appear between 3 months to one year is termed as

A. syntax
B. babble
C. conserver
D. none of these

CORRECT ANSWER IS: babble

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688. QUESTION: In Harry Harlow's experiment with surrogate mothers found that baby monkeys

A. preferred eating over interacting with peers
B. preferred interaction with peers over surrogate mothers
C. preferred proximity to wire mothers over interacting with peers
D. preferred proximity to cloth mother over eating

CORRECT ANSWER IS: preferred proximity to cloth mother over eating

689. QUESTION: Which of the following accurately describes an aspect of prenatal development?

A. heartbeat begins during second week
B. wastes are absorbed through the placental walls into the mother's blood
C. the fetus has immunity to syphilis
D. the developing child and the mother have completely intermixing, constantly interchanging blood supplies

CORRECT ANSWER IS: wastes are absorbed through the placental walls into the mother's blood

690. QUESTION: According to Noam Chomsky's theory of transformational grammar, a 'Kernel' is

A. the surface structure of a sentence
B. the smallest unit of meaning in a language
C. the deep structure of a sentence
D. the basic declarative thought of the sentence

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the basic declarative thought of the sentence

691. QUESTION: Fertilization of human eggs normally takes place in the

A. uterus
B. ovaries
C. urethra
D. fallopian tubes

CORRECT ANSWER IS: fallopian tubes

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692. QUESTION: The study of the hereditary transmission of attributes is

A. genetics, genes
B. heritability, biological traits
C. adaptability, dominant and recessive traits
D. mutation, differentiation

CORRECT ANSWER IS: adaptability, dominant and recessive traits

693. QUESTION: In language, grammar refers to

A. the morphemes used
B. the phonemes used
C. both morphemes and phonemes
D. the rules used to connect phrases

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the rules used to connect phrases

694. QUESTION: In toilet training, parents can expect

A. defecation control to precede urination control
B. urination control to precede defecation control
C. simultaneous defecation and urination control
D. the control pattern that was true in the parents' own childhood

CORRECT ANSWER IS: defecation control to precede urination control

695. QUESTION: Vygotsky is best known for his concept of

A. transformational grammar
B. zone of proximal development
C. psychosocial crises
D. strange situation

CORRECT ANSWER IS: zone of proximal development

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696. QUESTION: What refers to biological difference between males and females present at birth?

A. gender identity
B. gender role
C. sex
D. genotype

CORRECT ANSWER IS: sex

697. QUESTION: What are the problems associated with low birth weight?

A. difficulty maintaining body temperature
B. difficulty with breathing, sucking, swallowing and digestion
C. susceptibility infection
D. all of these

CORRECT ANSWER IS: susceptibility infection

698. QUESTION: This is not the characteristic of preoperational stage of development

A. egocentric thought
B. understanding of conservation
C. static thinking
D. problem solving behavior

CORRECT ANSWER IS: understanding of conservation

699. QUESTION: The material of which chromosomes are composed is called

A. deoxyribonucleic acid
B. genes
C. atoms
D. myelin

CORRECT ANSWER IS: deoxyribonucleic acid

700. QUESTION: Psychologists who specialize in the study of language are called

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A. psycho-grammarists
B. psycholinguists
C. psycho-metricians
D. morphemologists

CORRECT ANSWER IS: psycholinguists

701. QUESTION: The term 'general to specific' in child development refers to

A. visual activity
B. auditory sensitivity
C. motor movements
D. cortex development

CORRECT ANSWER IS: motor movements

702. QUESTION: According to Mendelian genetics, which of the following statements is true?

A. if both parents have brown eyes, their offspring must have brown eyes
B. if one parent has blue eyes and one has brown eyes, their offspring must have brown eyes
C. if both parents have brown eyes, their offspring could have blue eyes
D. if both parents have blue eyes, their offspring could have brown eyes

CORRECT ANSWER IS: if both parents have brown eyes, their offspring could have blue eyes

703. QUESTION: During which stage of moral development, according to Kohlberg, are moral judgments based on a need for acceptance from others?

A. 2
B. 3
C. 4
D. 5

CORRECT ANSWER IS: 3

704. QUESTION: Morphology refers to the

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A. relationship between sounds and their meanings
B. relationship between different languages
C. origins of words
D. study of infant babbling

CORRECT ANSWER IS: relationship between sounds and their meanings

705. QUESTION: The language Acquisition Device was proposed by

A. Piaget
B. Bruner
C. Kohler
D. Chomsky

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Chomsky

706. QUESTION: The experience that has the clearest, most profound effect on intellectual development

A. being enrolled in the Head Start Program
B. growing up in an economically disadvantaged home or neighborhood
C. being raised in a very neglected home
D. being exposed to very stimulating toys and lessons in infancy

CORRECT ANSWER IS: being exposed to very stimulating toys and lessons in infancy

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707. QUESTION: In developmental terminology, PKU refers to

A. the effect of thalidomide
B. Down's syndrome
C. sickle cell
D. a hereditary enzyme deficiency

CORRECT ANSWER IS: a hereditary enzyme deficiency

708. QUESTION: According to Piaget, the major accomplishment of sensorimotor stage is

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A. abstract thinking
B. egocentrism
C. contraction
D. object permanence

CORRECT ANSWER IS: object permanence

709. QUESTION: The term 'germ cell' when used in genetics refers to

A. somatic cells
B. ova and sperm cells
C. both a and b
D. none of these

CORRECT ANSWER IS: ova and sperm cells

710. QUESTION: In which of Piaget's stages of cognitive development will a child realize that when a volume of water is poured from a tall, narrow beaker, to a wide beaker, the volume remains the same even though it reaches a lower level?

A. preoperational
B. sensorimotor
C. concrete operational
D. formal operation

CORRECT ANSWER IS: concrete operational

711. QUESTION: Mr. Farid has no meaningful conceptual goals and has changed his college several times. Erikson would have suggested that he lacks

A. identity
B. initiative
C. trust
D. autonomy

CORRECT ANSWER IS: identity

712. QUESTION: Which of the following represents the correct order of Piaget's stages of cognitive development?

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A. sensorimotor, preoperational, concrete operational, formal operational
B. sensorimotor, preoperational, formal operational, concrete operational
C. preoperational, sensorimotor, concrete operational, formal operational
D. preoperational, concrete operational, sensorimotor, formal operational

CORRECT ANSWER IS: sensorimotor, preoperational, concrete operational, formal operational

713. QUESTION: In a particular study, young children were asked to feel two fabrics, either with the same or the opposite hands, and say whether they were the same or different materials. Three-year-olds made 90% more errors with different hands than with the same hand and five-year-olds made only 10% more errors with different hands. A probable reason for this would be that

A. the sense of touch is more developed in five-year-olds
B. the corpus collosum matures between ages three and five
C. the right hemisphere is not sufficiently developed in three-year-olds
D. all of the above are correct

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the corpus collosum matures between ages three and five

714. QUESTION: A brain wave not evident in the newborn is the

A. beta
B. alpha
C. delta
D. theta

CORRECT ANSWER IS: alpha

715. QUESTION: During which stage do children understand the world primarily by observing the effects of their own actions on other people, objects and events?

A. concrete operational
B. sensorimotor
C. formal operational
D. preoperational

CORRECT ANSWER IS: sensorimotor

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716. QUESTION: Suppose a business executive decides it is morally wrong to dump his company's toxic waste in a rural wooded area because the law prohibits it. Kohlberg would say that he is at the _____ stage of moral development.

A. 3
B. 4
C. 5
D. 6

CORRECT ANSWER IS: 4

717. QUESTION: Which of the following theorists most strongly stressed the importance of maturation in development?

A. Jean Piaget
B. John Locke
C. Arnold Gesell
D. Lev Vygotsky

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Arnold Gesell

718. QUESTION: Which of the following behaviors is characteristic of infantile autism?

A. social isolation
B. extreme sensitivity to pain
C. stereotyped behavior
D. both a and c

CORRECT ANSWER IS: both a and c

719. QUESTION: When the development of the same subject is studied over a period of time, the study is called a

A. cross-sectional study
B. longitudinal study
C. life-history study
D. sequential study

CORRECT ANSWER IS: longitudinal study

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720. QUESTION: Child-reading methods in Pakistan

A. differ little from those in other countries
B. differ from one social class to the next
C. have changed very little over the past fifty years
D. are now pretty much the same from one social class to the next

CORRECT ANSWER IS: differ from one social class to the next

721. QUESTION: Who most strongly favors a stage theory of development?

A. Macoby
B. Gellman
C. Piaget
D. Spock

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Piaget

722. QUESTION: A child in Piaget's preoperational stage is given a toy and attempts to eat it. This child is demonstrating

A. generalization
B. accommodation
C. assimilation
D. transition

CORRECT ANSWER IS: assimilation

723. QUESTION: At which of the following ages would you expect clock-time concepts to be mastered initially by a child?

A. two years
B. three years
C. four years
D. between five and six years

CORRECT ANSWER IS: between five and six years

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724. QUESTION: Which of the following is a normal consequence of growing old?

A. severe memory loss
B. eccentricity
C. loss of speed of information processing
D. loss of vocabulary

CORRECT ANSWER IS: loss of speed of information processing

725. QUESTION: The rationalist approach of Chomsky in explaining language development is also referred to as

A. nativist
B. empiricist
C. cognitive
D. culture-bound

CORRECT ANSWER IS: nativist

726. QUESTION: Which of the following statement is incorrect?

A. genetic influence effects children more than adults
B. even if genetic factors underlie a particular behavior, it is subjected to change
C. traits such as extroversion and introversion are influenced by genes
D. intelligence has a genetic basis

CORRECT ANSWER IS: traits such as extroversion and introversion are influenced by genes

727. QUESTION: A businessman refuses to pay income taxes because his conscience will not allow him to support a government that spends billions of rupees on military weapons. That person's reasoning best illustrates Kohlberg's _____ stage.

A. post conventional
B. concrete-operational
C. preconventional
D. egocentric

CORRECT ANSWER IS: post conventional

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728. QUESTION: The growth of facial hair in an adolescent male is an example of a

A. primary sex characteristic
B. secondary sex characteristic
C. latent stage trait
D. sex-linked trait

CORRECT ANSWER IS: secondary sex characteristic

729. QUESTION: Moderate anxiety in a child

A. is detrimental to all learning
B. is a function of archetype
C. may facilitate learning of simple tasks
D. may facilitate learning of difficult tasks

CORRECT ANSWER IS: may facilitate learning of simple tasks

730. QUESTION: According to Piaget's theory of cognitive development, middle childhood is characterized by

A. hypothetical reasoning
B. deductive thinking
C. concrete operations
D. egocentric thinking

CORRECT ANSWER IS: concrete operations

731. QUESTION: If characteristic requires only one gene to show itself that characteristic is considered

A. dominant
B. co-dominant
C. incompletely dominant
D. recessive

CORRECT ANSWER IS: dominant

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732. QUESTION: Of the following psychologists, who described the identity crisis as a major problem faced by the adolescent?

A. Horney
B. Piaget
C. Erikson
D. Freud

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Erikson

733. QUESTION: Noam Chomsky posited that humans have a unique, inborn ability to understand the structure of language and to apply this to language learning. Chomsky called this the

A. innate capability index
B. innate surface structure ability
C. prosody index
D. language acquisition device

CORRECT ANSWER IS: language acquisition device

734. QUESTION: Maturation refers to

A. how well-adjusted a teenager become as they grow to adulthood
B. the physical problem associated with aging
C. the fact that children are genetically pre-programmed to learn to walk and talk at certain ages
D. how well a person's physical age matches their chronological age

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the fact that children are genetically pre-programmed to learn to walk and talk at certain ages

735. QUESTION: The proportion of total variation in a population that is due to genetic variation is

A. phenotype
B. genotype
C. heritability
D. absolute heritability

CORRECT ANSWER IS: heritability

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736. QUESTION: As the individual continues his growth after birth, the neural cells in his brain

A. change in their chemical composition
B. increase in number
C. both a and b
D. none of these

CORRECT ANSWER IS: increase in number

737. QUESTION: We are more likely to experience which of the following during adolescence than at any other time in our lives?

A. moodiness
B. parent-child conflicts
C. risky behavior
D. all of them

CORRECT ANSWER IS: all of them

738. QUESTION: During the course of successful parental development, a human organism begins an a/an _____ and finally develops into a/an _____

A. embryo, zygote
B. zygote, fetus
C. embryo, fetus
D. zygote, embryo

CORRECT ANSWER IS: zygote, fetus

739. QUESTION: A person who does not cheat on his income tax because he might get caught and sent to jail is demonstrating Kohlberg's _____ stage of morality

A. conventional
B. post-conventional
C. pre-conventional
D. preoperational

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: pre-conventional

740. QUESTION: Rasheed and Zahid are identical twins. Zahid usually spends several hours a day absorbed in a book. Rasheed can usually be found on the playgrounD. On vocabulary tests, Zahid consistently scores significantly higher than RasheeD. The most likely explanation is that

A. Rasheed and Zahid have genetically different capacities for verbal comprehension
B. there are differences between Rasheed's environment and Zahid's
C. genes play no role in verbal comprehension
D. when their zygote separated, Rasheed got the genes for athlete ability and Zahid got the genes for intellectual ability

CORRECT ANSWER IS: there are differences between Rasheed's environment and Zahid's

741. QUESTION: A gene that is expressed in both the homozygous and the heterozygous condition is

A. regressive
B. recessive
C. dominant
D. monozygotic

CORRECT ANSWER IS: dominant

742. QUESTION: With the onset of puberty, the rate of growth of

A. all bodily organs slows down
B. intellectual development slows down
C. both a and b
D. none of these

CORRECT ANSWER IS: none of these

743. QUESTION: The heart begins to beat and the liver begins to make red blood cells during _____ period of prenatal development.

A. embryonic
B. fetal

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C. zygotic
D. ovular

CORRECT ANSWER IS: embryonic

744. QUESTION: If developmental psychologists want to learn about an individual's development, they should use which of the following methods?

A. longitudinal
B. cross-sectional
C. either a or b
D. neither a nor b

CORRECT ANSWER IS: longitudinal

745. QUESTION: According to Piaget from 2 to 7 years of age, language is developed slowly and gradually, this stage is called

A. egocentric thought
B. preoperational stage
C. sensorimotor stage
D. formal stage

CORRECT ANSWER IS: preoperational stage

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746. QUESTION: According to Erikson, isolation is to intimacy as role confusion is to

A. mistrust
B. guilt
C. inferiority
D. identity

CORRECT ANSWER IS: identity

747. QUESTION: A gene that expresses itself only in the homozygous condition is known as

A. dominant

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B. crossed
C. backcrossed
D. recessive

CORRECT ANSWER IS: recessive

748. QUESTION: A mother smoked heavily during the entire months of her pregnancy. Her newborn baby will most likely be

A. underweight
B. mentally retarded
C. hyperactive
D. timid and fearful

CORRECT ANSWER IS: underweight

749. QUESTION: The DNA containing an individual's genetic information is organized into structure called

A. chromosomes
B. phenotypes
C. genotypes
D. zygotes

CORRECT ANSWER IS: chromosomes

750. QUESTION: Maturation refers to development that occurs as a result of

A. instinctive processes
B. genetically determined signals
C. homeostatic imbalances
D. an interaction between biology and environment

CORRECT ANSWER IS: genetically determined signals

751. QUESTION: Compared with males, females are more likely to base their sense of personal identity on their

A. gender

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B. social relationships
C. educational accomplishments
D. socially distinctive personality traits

CORRECT ANSWER IS: social relationships

752. QUESTION: A psychologist studies developmental changes in the ability to solve analogy problems by comparing the performance of a group of 5-year-olds with that of a group of 7-year-olds. This research is using

A. the cross-sectional method
B. the longitudinal method
C. either a or b
D. neither a nor b

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the cross-sectional method

753. QUESTION: Doing the stage of concrete operations children:

A. do not yet understand the concept of conservation
B. understand the concept of reversibility
C. are able to solve abstract problems
D. none of these

CORRECT ANSWER IS: understand the concept of reversibility

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754. QUESTION: What does it mean to say that a grandparent and grandchild are 25 percent related?

A. they share 25 percent of their genes
B. the grandchild has inherited 25 percent of the grandparent's genes
C. the grandchild has a 25 percent chance of sharing the grandparent's gene
D. there is a 25 percent chance that if a rare gene exists in the grandparent it will also exist in the grandchild

CORRECT ANSWER IS: there is a 25 percent chance that if a rare gene exists in the grandparent it will also exist in the grandchild

755. QUESTION: Maturation refers to

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A. the acquisition of socially acceptable behaviors
B. any learned behavior patterns that accompany personal growth and development
C. biological growth processes that are relatively uninfluenced by experience
D. the physical and sexual development of early adolescence

CORRECT ANSWER IS: biological growth processes that are relatively uninfluenced by experience

756. QUESTION: The normal human karyotype consists of 22 pairs of _____ and one pair of sex chromosomes

A. genotypes
B. genes
C. autosomes
D. XY chromosomes

CORRECT ANSWER IS: autosomes

757. QUESTION: Erik Erikson maintained that the two basic aspects of life that dominate adulthood are

A. identity and independence
B. intimacy and identity
C. intimacy and generativity
D. independence and generativity

CORRECT ANSWER IS: intimacy and generativity

758. QUESTION: Chromosomal mapping studies have found that

A. schizophrenia does not appear to have genetic component
B. schizophrenia does appear to have genetic component
C. adoption studies do not reveal anything about schizophrenia
D. none of these

CORRECT ANSWER IS: none of these

759. QUESTION: The longitudinal method of studying cognitive development is much more useful than the cross-sectional method for

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A. making inference about normative development
B. comparing people of different age groups
C. testing stage theories of cognitive development
D. gathering information about individual development

CORRECT ANSWER IS: gathering information about individual development

760. QUESTION: Everyday, 6-month-old Musa spends two hours in a walker chair. Compared with other 6-mont-old babies who do not have this experience. Musa will probably walk

A. 4 months earlier
B. 2 months earlier
C. at the same age
D. 1 month later

CORRECT ANSWER IS: at the same age

761. QUESTION: To mark the onset and termination of adolescence

A. physiological measures are usually used for both boys and girls
B. physiological measures are usually used for girls, but not for boys
C. Physiological measures are usually used for the onset but not for the end of adolescence
D. physiological measurements are usually used for boys and girls

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Physiological measures are usually used for the onset but not for the end of adolescence

762. QUESTION: Down's syndrome is caused by

A. a recessive gene
B. a missing sex chromosome
C. an extra autosome or part of one
D. an extra sex chromosome or part of one

CORRECT ANSWER IS: an extra autosome or part of one

763. QUESTION: Maturation is to education as _____ is to _____

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A. learning, experience
B. nature, nurture
C. imprinting, critical period
D. environment, learning

CORRECT ANSWER IS: nature, nurture

764. QUESTION: Piaget is best known for his interest in the process of _____ development

A. motor
B. social
C. emotional
D. cognitive

CORRECT ANSWER IS: cognitive

765. QUESTION: In the normal human male, the sex chromosomes consist of _____ and in the normal human female they consist of _____

A. an XY pair, an XX pair
B. an XX pair, an XY pair
C. a YY pair, an XX pair
D. an XX pair, a YY pair

CORRECT ANSWER IS: an XY pair, an XX pair

766. QUESTION: A male born with an extra Y chromosome XYY, shows some evidence of increased aggressiveness and typically scores lower than normal in intelligence tests:

A. Turner's syndrome
B. super-male syndrome
C. Kleinfelter's syndrome
D. XXX syndrome

CORRECT ANSWER IS: super-male syndrome

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767. QUESTION: When infants who could crawl were placed on the center board of the visual cliff apparatus, those who had never fallen

A. crawled across the deep side without hesitation
B. hesitated and then crawled across the deep side
C. crawled across the deep side only if their mothers called to them from that direction
D. refused to crawl across the deep side

CORRECT ANSWER IS: refused to crawl across the deep side

768. QUESTION: A young child who sees a cow for the first time calls it a 'doggie'. This illustrates the process of

A. accommodation
B. object prominence
C. conservation
D. assimilation

CORRECT ANSWER IS: assimilation

769. QUESTION: Overall, adoption studies suggest that schizophrenia

A. runs in families primarily because of the genetic relatedness of family members
B. runs in families primarily because of the environmental similarities of family members
C. does not run in families and is therefore due to environmental factors
D. is due to purely psychological factors with no underlying genetic component

CORRECT ANSWER IS: runs in families primarily because of the genetic relatedness of family members

770. QUESTION: Development of any skill depends intimately on

A. muscle facility
B. feedback
C. abstractions
D. kinesthetic stimulation

CORRECT ANSWER IS: muscle facility

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771. QUESTION: Piaget labeled infancy the _____ stage of development in which thought takes the form of _____

A. preoperational, action
B. preoperational, abstract symbols
C. sensorimotor, action
D. sensorimotor, abstract symbols

CORRECT ANSWER IS: sensorimotor, action

772. QUESTION: According to Piaget, children come to understand that the volume of a substance remains constant despite changes in its shape during the _____ stage

A. preoperational
B. sensorimotor
C. concrete operational
D. formal operational

CORRECT ANSWER IS: concrete operational

773. QUESTION: In psychology the nature-nurture debate refers to the relative influences of

A. paternal genes and maternal care
B. genes and environment
C. genotype and phenotype
D. genotype and karyotype

CORRECT ANSWER IS: genes and environment

774. QUESTION: Which process results in the faithful duplication of genetic material?

A. genotyping
B. crossing over
C. mitosis
D. meiosis

CORRECT ANSWER IS: mitosis

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775. QUESTION: Maturation refers to

A. the attainment of successive stages of cognitive development
B. relatively stable changes in an individual's thought and behavior or a result of biological processes of aging
C. relatively stable changes in an individual's thought and behavior as a result of accumulating experiences
D. the development of an individual thought and behavior due to the interactions of biological factors

CORRECT ANSWER IS: relatively stable changes in an individual's thought and behavior or a result of biological processes of aging

776. QUESTION: Studies of schizophrenia in twins have show that

A. the heritability of the liability (risk) for schizophrenia is quite high
B. the risk for schizophrenia stems primarily from a single dominant gene
C. environmental factors are more influential than genetic factors in the development of the disorder
D. a and b

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the heritability of the liability (risk) for schizophrenia is quite high

777. QUESTION: A child whose father has a beard and who uses the word daddy to refer to all men with beards is

A. overextending the word
B. babbling
C. exhibiting developmental dysphasia
D. exhibiting weak attachment to the father

CORRECT ANSWER IS: overextending the word

778. QUESTION: A zygote with an XY chromosomes will normally develop into

A. a male
B. a female
C. identical twins
D. fraternal twins

CORRECT ANSWER IS: a male

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779. QUESTION: Each protein molecule in the body is synthesized under the direction of

A. a zygote
B. a gene
C. an autosome
D. an enzyme

CORRECT ANSWER IS: a gene

780. QUESTION: According to Piaget, a person first comprehends that division is the reverse of multiplication during the _____ stage

A. preoperational
B. concrete-operational
C. formal operational
D. sensorimotor

CORRECT ANSWER IS: concrete-operational

781. QUESTION: The union of an egg and a sperm produces

A. a phenotype
B. a zygote
C. an allele
D. a clone

CORRECT ANSWER IS: a zygote

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782. QUESTION: In Erikson's theory, the sense of integrity achieved in late adulthood refers to the feeling that

A. one is acting ethically
B. one's life has been meaningful
C. one is healthy and not dependent upon others
D. one's life is full of close friendships

CORRECT ANSWER IS: one's life has been meaningful

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783. QUESTION: Chomsky proposed that children learn a language

A. one's thought determines the nature of one's language
B. language and thought are separate and independent processes
C. language and thought interact, each influencing the other
D. because they possess an innate language acquisition device

CORRECT ANSWER IS: because they possess an innate language acquisition device

784. QUESTION: This is true of protein production

A. DNA serves as a template for producing RNA, which in turn serves as a template for producing protein molecules
B. RNA serves as a template for producing DNA, which in turn serves as a template for producing protein molecules
C. both DNA and RNA serve as templates for producing protein molecules
D. protein molecules serve as templates for producing RNA, which in turn serves as a template for producing protein molecules

CORRECT ANSWER IS: DNA serves as a template for producing RNA, which in turn serves as a template for producing protein molecules

785. QUESTION: If a germ cell is observed to have an X chromosome it is clear that the germ cell is

A. an ovum
B. sperm
C. a somatic cell
D. a bisexual zygote

CORRECT ANSWER IS: an ovum

786. QUESTION: Several studies of long-separated identical twins have found that these twins

A. have little in common
B. have many similarities
C. have similar personalities
D. are not more similar than are fraternal twins reared apart

CORRECT ANSWER IS: have many similarities

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787. QUESTION: According to Piaget, during the formal operational stage people begin to

A. reason abstractly
B. adhere to social norms
C. distinguish between good and bad behavior
D. become aware of the positive and negative consequences of their own behaviors

CORRECT ANSWER IS: reason abstractly

788. QUESTION: Which of the following statements regarding twins is false?

A. identical twins originate from a single zygote
B. fraternal twins are not more genetically related than nontwin siblings
C. identical twins are more closely related than fraternal twins
D. fraternal twins originate when one egg is fertilized by two sperms

CORRECT ANSWER IS: fraternal twins originate when one egg is fertilized by two sperms

789. QUESTION: Natural selection is the process by which

A. a species becomes adapted to its environment
B. nature achieves its long-term goals
C. an individual adapts to its own environment
D. a breeder creates desirable strains of animals

CORRECT ANSWER IS: a species becomes adapted to its environment

790. QUESTION: Piaget was convinced that the mind of a child

A. is like a blank slate at birth
B. is not heavily influenced by maturation
C. assimilates reality differently than an adult does
D. depends heavily on the child's temperament

CORRECT ANSWER IS: assimilates reality differently than an adult does

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791. QUESTION: If children cannot grasp the principle of conservation, they are unable to

A. deal with the discipline of toilet training
B. see things from the point of view of another person
C. recognize that the quantity of a substance remains the same despite changes in its shape
D. retain earlier schemas when confronted by new experience

CORRECT ANSWER IS: recognize that the quantity of a substance remains the same despite changes in its shape

792. QUESTION: A child is creating new schemata to account for new information, Piaget calls this process

A. accommodation
B. assimilation
C. operations
D. function autonomy

CORRECT ANSWER IS: accommodation

793. QUESTION: Who emphasized that social development continues throughout life, not just for the first 5 or 6 years?

A. Sigmund Freud
B. Anna Freud
C. Erik Erikson
D. Jean Piaget

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Erik Erikson

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794. QUESTION: The powerful survival impulse that leads human infants to seek closeness to their parents is called

A. attachment
B. imprinting
C. egocentrism
D. conservation

CORRECT ANSWER IS: attachment

795. QUESTION: Two individuals who developed from one zygote are known as

A. heterozygous twins
B. homozygous twins
C. identical twins
D. b and c

CORRECT ANSWER IS: b and c

796. QUESTION: In the total number of boys and girls born each year is exactly equal, which of the following would be most likely sequence of boy (B) and girls (G) for the next six births?

A. G G G G G
B. G G G B B B
C. G B G B B G
D. all of the above would be equally likely

CORRECT ANSWER IS: all of the above would be equally likely

797. QUESTION: Genes contribute to behavior by

A. directing the manufacture of protein molecules that build the body
B. setting up patterns of neural activity in the brain
C. breaking down large protein molecules into their amino acid 'building blocks'
D. counteracting environmental influences

CORRECT ANSWER IS: directing the manufacture of protein molecules that build the body

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798. QUESTION: Which statement concerning mutations is false?

A. mutations are errors that arise in the course of DNA replication
B. mutations are invariably harmful
C. mutations are the ultimate source of all genetic variation
D. harmful mutations can be removed from the gene pool through natural selection

CORRECT ANSWER IS: mutations are invariably harmful

799. QUESTION: The example of imprinting is

A. a duckling demonstrates attachment to a bouncing ball
B. a 4-year-old boy imitates aggression he sees on television
C. a 2-year-old poodle approaches a stranger who calls it
D. a 3-year-old girl is simultaneously learning two different languages

CORRECT ANSWER IS: a duckling demonstrates attachment to a bouncing ball

800. QUESTION: In developmental psychology, the term nature refers to _____ factors that influence development.

A. environmental
B. physical
C. biological
D. all of these

CORRECT ANSWER IS: biological

801. QUESTION: Dizygotic (fraternal) twins originate from

A. two sperm cells and two egg cells
B. two sperm cells and one egg cell
C. one sperm cell and two egg cells
D. one sperm cell and one egg cell

CORRECT ANSWER IS: two sperm cells and two egg cells

802. QUESTION: The portion of a DNA molecule that contain the code for the manufacture of one specific type of protein molecule is called

A. a gene
B. a chromosome
C. an autosome
D. an RNA molecule

CORRECT ANSWER IS: a gene

803. QUESTION: Which parenting style usually produces children with greatest confidence and self-esteem?

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A. permissive
B. Authoritarian
C. authoritative
D. rejecting-neglecting

CORRECT ANSWER IS: authoritative

804. QUESTION: If psychologists discovered that intelligent parents have smarter children than unintelligent parents, this would demonstrate that

A. intelligence is inherited
B. the intelligence of parents and children is positively correlated
C. intelligent parents provide their children with greater educational opportunities than do unintelligent parents
D. all of the above

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the intelligence of parents and children is positively correlated

805. QUESTION: The rate of evolutionary change is

A. randomly varied
B. slow, continuous and steady
C. slower or faster, depending in part on the rate of environmental change
D. much slower now than in early evolutionary history

CORRECT ANSWER IS: slower or faster, depending in part on the rate of environmental change

806. QUESTION: Erik Erikson suggested that children with a very secure attachment to their parents are especially likely to experience

A. stranger anxiety
B. egocentrism
C. basic trust
D. object permanence

CORRECT ANSWER IS: basic trust

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807. QUESTION: Uzma cut Ali's pizza into eight pieces and Batool's into six pieces. Batool cried because she felt she wasn't getting as much pizza as Ali's. Piaget would say that Batool doesn't understand the principle of

A. object permanence
B. object equivalence
C. egocentrism
D. conservation

CORRECT ANSWER IS: conservation

808. QUESTION: In the study of development, the most important biological factor is _____ the systematic physical growth of the body, including the nervous system.

A. maturation
B. hormones
C. growth factors
D. environment

CORRECT ANSWER IS: hormones

809. QUESTION: This is not true of Down's syndrome

A. it is the most common chromosomal disorder that does not involve a sex chromosome
B. Down syndrome children can make intellectual gains in the proper environment
C. the incidence of Down's syndrome increases with the age of the mother but is not related to the age of the father
D. people with Alzheimer's disease develop the same kind of brain plaques as do people with Down syndrome, and in both cases these may be due to single gene

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the incidence of Down's syndrome increases with the age of the mother but is not related to the age of the father

810. QUESTION: Cognition is defined as

A. the study of memory
B. the study of how thinking emerges in children
C. mental operations such as mathematical transformations
D. all the mental activities associated with thinking, knowing, communicating and remembering

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: all the mental activities associated with thinking, knowing, communicating and remembering

811. QUESTION: Chromosomes are composed of

A. Ach
B. neurons
C. DNA
D. teratogens

CORRECT ANSWER IS: DNA

812. QUESTION: Two-year-old Naveed, who has a simple schema for 'mom' and calls each new woman with a child he encounters 'mom', is demonstrating Piaget's process of

A. accommodation
B. assimilation
C. cognition
D. conservation

CORRECT ANSWER IS: assimilation

813. QUESTION: Individual adaptation refers to beneficial change within _____ while evolutionary adaptation refers to beneficial change within _____

A. the generation, the culture
B. the organism, the species
C. the culture, the species
D. the generation, the organism

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the organism, the species

814. QUESTION: Compared to children from intact families, the children of divorced parents are more likely to experience

A. academic failures
B. stranger anxiety
C. egocentrism

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D. crystallized intelligence

CORRECT ANSWER IS: academic failures

815. QUESTION: Which of the following is true regarding the relative influence of genes and the environment on behavior?

A. genes are the primary influence before birth and environment is the primary influence following birth
B. environment is the primary influence throughout life
C. genes are the primary influence on the development of physical structures and environmental factors are a greater influence on the development of behavioral capacities
D. in no sense can either genes or environment be said to be a greater influence than the other

CORRECT ANSWER IS: in no sense can either genes or environment be said to be a greater influence than the other

816. QUESTION: Who is distinguished for major stages of cognitive development, the sensorimotor, the preoperational stage, the concrete operational stage and the formal operational stage.

A. Jean Piaget
B. John Bowlby
C. Sigmund Freud
D. Harry Harlow

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Jean Piaget

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817. QUESTION: The fertilized egg will develop into a boy if, at conception

A. the sperm contributes as an X chromosome
B. the sperm contributes a Y chromosome
C. the egg contributes an X chromosome
D. the egg contributes a Y chromosome

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the sperm contributes a Y chromosome

818. QUESTION: The gene for brown eyes is dominant, whereas that for blue eyes is recessive. Suppose you have a friend with blue eyes. What do you know about your friend's parents?

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A. both parents have blue eyes
B. at least one parent has blue eyes
C. both parents have a gene for blue eyes
D. at least one parent is homozygous for brown eyes

CORRECT ANSWER IS: both parents have a gene for blue eyes

819. QUESTION: A zygote contains

A. 23 chromosomes
B. 46 genes
C. 46 chromosomes
D. 23 genes

CORRECT ANSWER IS: 46 chromosomes

820. QUESTION: According to Piaget, very young infants (below about 5 months of age) are less able than older infants to find hidden objects primarily because the younger infants

A. are unable to think of objects that are not in sight
B. lack concrete operational schemes
C. have poor sensorimotor coordination
D. are not interested in the objects used in most tests

CORRECT ANSWER IS: are unable to think of objects that are not in sight

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821. QUESTION: Gender identity refers to

A. one's biological sex
B. the sense of being male or female
C. the set of expected behaviors for males and for females
D. how masculine a boy is or how feminine a girl is

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the sense of being male or female

822. QUESTION: The term phenotype refers to

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A. the observable properties of the body and behavioral traits
B. a photographic representation of chromosomes in a single cell
C. the observable properties of the body and the behavioral traits that are caused by the environment and not by genes
D. the observable properties of the body and the behavioral traits that are caused by genes and not by environment

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the observable properties of the body and behavioral traits

823. QUESTION: Kohlberg's theory of moral development was criticized by Gilligan primarily because

A. the data did not support his conclusion
B. it was based on a study of boys only
C. it was done so long ago
D. his subjects consisted of urban children only

CORRECT ANSWER IS: it was based on a study of boys only

824. QUESTION: Which theory of gender-typing suggests that people understand and classify their own behavior and personality traits in terms of masculine and feminine categories?

A. social learning theory
B. psychoanalytical theory
C. evolutionary theory
D. gender schema theory

CORRECT ANSWER IS: gender schema theory

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825. QUESTION: The two members of a gene pair are called

A. alleles
B. dominant genes
C. clones
D. zygotes

CORRECT ANSWER IS: alleles

826. QUESTION: A baby boy typically receives a _____ chromosome from his _____

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A. Y , father
B. Y , mother
C. X , father
D. X , father and mother

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Y , father

827. QUESTION: The nature/nurture controversy considers the degree to which traits and behaviors are determined by

A. genes or experience
B. continuity or stages
C. life-span stability or change
D. maturation or genes

CORRECT ANSWER IS: genes or experience

828. QUESTION: The typical sequence of developmental changes found in people is called _____ and the difference found among people as they develop is called _____

A. normative development, individual development
B. individual development, maturation
C. normative development, maturation
D. individual development, normative development

CORRECT ANSWER IS: normative development, individual development

829. QUESTION: The rapid increase in weight and height that occurs around the onset of puberty is known as the

A. maturation stage
B. physical development stage
C. adolescent growth spurt
D. menarche

CORRECT ANSWER IS: adolescent growth spurt

830. QUESTION: I am 14 months old and fearful of strangers. I am in Piaget's _____ stage of cognitive development

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A. sensorimotor
B. concrete-operational
C. preoperational
D. formal operational

CORRECT ANSWER IS: sensorimotor

831. QUESTION: Piaget is to cognitive development as Kohlberg is to _____ development

A. emotional
B. physical
C. moral
D. social

CORRECT ANSWER IS: moral

832. QUESTION: Children begin to understand and use abstractions during which of Piaget's stage of cognitive development?

A. oral stage
B. preoperational stage
C. sensory motor stage
D. formal operation stage

CORRECT ANSWER IS: formal operation stage

833. QUESTION: Which of the following would not be an example of contribution of environment in development?

A. nutrients supplied to the fetus in the womb
B. chemical changes in the body that are the result of activity
C. interactions with other individuals of the same species
D. all of the above are appropriate examples

CORRECT ANSWER IS: all of the above are appropriate examples

834. QUESTION: Assume that a single gene pair determines flower color in a particular kind of plant. If you cross a red-flowered plant offspring have pink flowers, which of the following can you conclude?

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A. both parent plants are heterozygous for flower color
B. neither gene for flower color is dominant
C. the gene for red flowers and the gene for white flowers are not alleles
D. a mutation must have occurred

CORRECT ANSWER IS: neither gene for flower color is dominant

835. QUESTION: The stage is characterized by an ability to use abstract concepts

A. concrete operational
B. formal operational
C. preoperational
D. operational

CORRECT ANSWER IS: formal operational

836. QUESTION: I am 3 years old, can use language and have trouble taking another person's perspective. I am in Piaget's _____ stage of cognitive development.

A. sensorimotor
B. preoperational
C. concrete operational
D. formal operational

CORRECT ANSWER IS: preoperational

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837. QUESTION: The text defines adolescence as

A. the transition years between biological maturity and social independence
B. the age at which reproductive maturity is attained
C. the years during which the secondary sex characteristics develop
D. the age at which the growth spurt begins

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the transition years between biological maturity and social independence

838. QUESTION: Which of the following is not associated with smoking during pregnancy?

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A. mental retardation
B. lower birth weight
C. miscarriage
D. visual defects

CORRECT ANSWER IS: visual defects

839. QUESTION: After puberty, the self-concept usually becomes

A. more positive in boys
B. more positive in girls
C. more positive in both boys and girls
D. more negative in both boys and girls

CORRECT ANSWER IS: more positive in both boys and girls

840. QUESTION: According to Piaget, the ability to think logically about visible and tangible objects first develops during the _____ stage

A. sensorimotor
B. formal operational
C. concrete operational
D. preoperational

CORRECT ANSWER IS: concrete operational

841. QUESTION: Growth is to enlargement as development is to

A. maturation
B. differentiation
C. enhancement
D. maintenance

CORRECT ANSWER IS: differentiation

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842. QUESTION: According to Piaget, cognitive development occurs through a fixed sequence of stages, each distinguished from the prior stage by a

A. larger number of schemes
B. new kind of scheme
C. increasing use of accommodation
D. increasing use of assimilation

CORRECT ANSWER IS: new kind of scheme

843. QUESTION: According to Erikson, the central psychological challenges pertaining to adolescence, young adulthood and middle age respectively are

A. identity formation, intimacy, generativity
B. intimacy, identity formation, generativity
C. generativity, intimacy, identity formation
D. intimacy, generativity, identity formation

CORRECT ANSWER IS: identity formation, intimacy, generativity

844. QUESTION: Which of the following is true of depth perception in infants?

A. psychologists have been unable to measure it precisely
B. by the time an infant can walk depth perception is developed
C. a baby in cradle doesn't really need depth perception
D. by the time a baby can crawl depth perception is developed

CORRECT ANSWER IS: by the time a baby can crawl depth perception is developed

845. QUESTION: In Erikson's theory, the achievement of integrity is the primary task of

A. adolescence
B. young adulthood
C. middle adulthood
D. late adulthood

CORRECT ANSWER IS: late adulthood

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846. QUESTION: During prenatal development, the baby is most sensitive to environmental influences during the

A. first three months
B. second three months
C. third trimester
D. there is actually no difference, the fetus is equally sensitive throughout the pregnancy

CORRECT ANSWER IS: first three months

847. QUESTION: An elderly person who can look back on life with satisfaction and reminisce with a sense of completion has attained Erikson's stage of

A. generativity
B. intimacy
C. isolation
D. integrity

CORRECT ANSWER IS: integrity

848. QUESTION: The concept of the identity crisis faced by adolescents is part of the social development theory of

A. Anna Freud
B. G. Stanley Hall
C. Lawrence Kohlberg
D. Erik Erikson

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Erik Erikson

849. QUESTION: A major strength of Erikson's theory is that it

A. gives an opposing view of cognitive development
B. offers a better explanation of childhood cognitive processes
C. deals with social development instead of cognition
D. cover the entire lifespan, dealing with issues of adult development

CORRECT ANSWER IS: cover the entire lifespan, dealing with issues of adult development

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850. QUESTION: Arif, a junior in high school, regularly attends Mosque because his family and friends think he shoulD. Which stage of moral reasoning is Arif in?

A. preconventional
B. conventional
C. post conventional
D. too little information to tell

CORRECT ANSWER IS: conventional

851. QUESTION: Newborn is referred to as a

A. fetus
B. embryo
C. neonate
D. baby

CORRECT ANSWER IS: neonate

852. QUESTION: When a child reacts to a novel experience by changing his behavior in response to environmental demands, the resulting modification of his mental structures is referred to by Piaget as the process of

A. accommodation
B. assimilation
C. adaptation
D. organization

CORRECT ANSWER IS: accommodation

853. QUESTION: Adolescence is marked by the onset of

A. an identity crisis
B. parent-child conflict
C. puberty
D. the concrete operational stage

CORRECT ANSWER IS: puberty

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854. QUESTION: Choosing a marriage partner and deciding whether or not to have children may be related to Erikson's psychosocial stage of

A. trust vs. mistrust
B. generativity vs. isolation
C. intimacy vs. isolation
D. integrity vs. despair

CORRECT ANSWER IS: intimacy vs. isolation

855. QUESTION: Which of the following is not true of the growth spurt?

A. girls begin the growth spurt earlier than boys
B. boys end the growth spurt with greater strength and size than girls
C. increase in height and weight often occur so rapidly that they are accompanied by actual growing pains
D. the growth spurt affects all parts of the body uniformly

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the growth spurt affects all parts of the body uniformly

856. QUESTION: 30-year-old woman tells a friend that she doesn't want to marry because she is afraid of losing her freedom and independence. Erikson would say that she is having difficulty with the psychosocial task of

A. trust vs. mistrust
B. autonomy vs. doubt
C. intimacy vs. isolation
D. identity vs. role confusion

CORRECT ANSWER IS: intimacy vs. isolation

857. QUESTION: Which of the following abnormalities is most likely related to the mother's condition at the time of conception?

A. oxygen deprivation during prenatal development
B. fetal alcohol syndrome
C. Down's syndrome
D. prenatal smoking

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: Down's syndrome

858. QUESTION: Down's syndrome is

A. synonymous with hydrocephaly
B. synonymous with Kleinfelter's syndrome
C. caused by the presence of an extra chromosome number 21
D. caused only by infectious hepatitis during pregnancy

CORRECT ANSWER IS: caused by the presence of an extra chromosome number 21

859. QUESTION: Of the following, which is possible cause of dementia?

A. stroke
B. brain tumor
C. alcoholism
D. all of the above

CORRECT ANSWER IS: all of the above

860. QUESTION: In early junior high school, you would expect

A. boys to be taller than girls
B. girls to be taller than boys
C. boys and girls to be the same height
D. boys to excel in finger dexterity tasks

CORRECT ANSWER IS: girls to be taller than boys

861. QUESTION: _____ is due to the regeneration of rhodopsin

A. lateral inhibition
B. light adaptation
C. dark adaptation
D. simultaneous brightness contrast

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: dark adaptation

862. QUESTION: A stationary point of light when viewed in an otherwise totally dark room appears to move. This is an example of

A. apparent motion
B. induced motion
C. the autokinetic effect
D. binocular disparity

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the autokinetic effect

863. QUESTION: What most accurately defines the function of middle ear?

A. formation of neural impulse
B. sound-wave amplification
C. sound collection
D. transmission to the brain

CORRECT ANSWER IS: sound-wave amplification

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864. QUESTION: Pinna is part of the

A. outer ear
B. oval window
C. cochlea
D. ossicles

CORRECT ANSWER IS: outer ear

865. QUESTION: In specific hearing test for children, separate tones are presented in a range of frequencies and intensities. The child is given general instructions to press a button whenever she hears a tone. This test is an application of the

A. method of limits
B. difference limen
C. Fechner method

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D. differential threshold method

CORRECT ANSWER IS: method of limits

866. QUESTION: Accommodation refers to the activity of

A. transmitting binaural sound to the oval window
B. change in lens shape to focus on nearby or distant objects
C. perception of object constancy regardless of retinal image size
D. echolocation

CORRECT ANSWER IS: change in lens shape to focus on nearby or distant objects

867. QUESTION: What is not one of Gestalt Psychology's five laws of form perception?

A. closure
B. similarity
C. proximity
D. relative size

CORRECT ANSWER IS: relative size

868. QUESTION: The 'moon illusion' related to the tendency to perceive

A. a quarter moon as a half moon
B. a three quarter moon as a full moon
C. the moon on the horizon as larger than the moon is the sky
D. the moon in the sky as larger than the moon on the horizon

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the moon on the horizon as larger than the moon is the sky

869. QUESTION: _____ is a physical property of sound

A. loudness
B. frequency
C. distance
D. timber

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: frequency

870. QUESTION: Not a monocular cue for depth is

A. relative size
B. linear perspective
C. convergence
D. interposition

CORRECT ANSWER IS: convergence

871. QUESTION: The fact that hues at the short-wave end of the color spectrum appear bright at nightfall is a function of

A. Purkinje effect
B. Zeigarnik effect
C. Young-Helmholtz effect
D. light adaptation

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Purkinje effect

872. QUESTION: Sound vibrations in the ear create neural impulses received in which of the following cortex locations?

A. temporal lobe
B. occipital lobe
C. parietal lobe
D. frontal lobe

CORRECT ANSWER IS: temporal lobe

873. QUESTION: In closure, we tend to

A. complete figures that have a gap in them
B. prefer differential contours
C. associate the distal and proximal stimuli
D. view on the basis of texture gradient

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: complete figures that have a gap in them

874. QUESTION: Illusion means

A. false sensation
B. wrong perception
C. false belief
D. both a and b

CORRECT ANSWER IS: wrong perception

875. QUESTION: The theory that challenged Helmholtz's theory of color vision is

A. frequency theory
B. opponent-process theory
C. isomorphism
D. trichromatic theory

CORRECT ANSWER IS: opponent-process theory

876. QUESTION: Imagine you are watching a fleet of sailboats, as you move from side to side, near boats seem to move back and forth more than distant boats do. This phenomena is known as

A. interposition
B. retinal disparity
C. convergence
D. accommodation

CORRECT ANSWER IS: retinal disparity

877. QUESTION: Pitch is determined by

A. amplitude
B. complexity
C. frequency
D. decibels

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: frequency

878. QUESTION: The main difference between the theory of color vision put forth by Young-Helmholtz and that put forth by Hering is that Hering's theory

A. emphasizes the importance of three types color receptors, red, blue and green
B. emphasizes the importance of three opposing pairs of color receptors, red-green, blue-yellow and black-white
C. is based more on top-down processing than Young-Helmholtz
D. is based more on bottom-up processing than Young-Helmholtz

CORRECT ANSWER IS: emphasizes the importance of three opposing pairs of color receptors, red-green, blue-yellow and black-white

879. QUESTION: In perceiving the distance a sound has traveled, a person depends heavily upon

A. loudness and intensity
B. resonance
C. brightness and hue
D. frequency

CORRECT ANSWER IS: loudness and intensity

880. QUESTION: For the experience of taste to occur, a substance must be

A. at least slightly soluble in water
B. highly soluble in butyric acid
C. insoluble in butyric acid
D. in contact with receptors located in the center of the tongue

CORRECT ANSWER IS: at least slightly soluble in water

881. QUESTION: By which of the following properties of near and distant objects does motion parallax enable a person to judge distance?

A. texture gradient
B. relative movement
C. relative closure

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D. movement illusion

CORRECT ANSWER IS: relative movement

882. QUESTION: In dichotic listening, _____ is presented to _____

A. the same stimulus, each ear simultaneously
B. a different stimulus, each ear simultaneously
C. a single stimulus, one ear only
D. a single stimulus, randomly to both ears

CORRECT ANSWER IS: a different stimulus, each ear simultaneously

883. QUESTION: Giving meaning to sensation refers to

A. perception
B. motivation
C. cognition
D. sensation

CORRECT ANSWER IS: perception

884. QUESTION: The autokinetic effect is most common demonstrated with which stimuli?

A. a spot of light in a darkened room
B. light flashing on and off in a patterned sequence
C. light rotating around a single, central spot of light
D. a color wheel containing a black-white color disk

CORRECT ANSWER IS: a spot of light in a darkened room

885. QUESTION: What is used to measure the time it takes to perform various mental processes?

A. bottom up processing
B. magnetic resonance imaging
C. mental chronometry
D. shadowing

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: mental chronometry

886. QUESTION: Perceptual constancies are primarily a function of

A. reflex
B. convergence
C. learning
D. instinct

CORRECT ANSWER IS: learning

887. QUESTION: Stationary lights on a neon sign blink sequentially and appear to move. This appearance is called the

A. Ponzo illusion
B. Necker illusion
C. phi-phenomenon
D. induced movement effect

CORRECT ANSWER IS: phi-phenomenon

888. QUESTION: Jestrow illusion involves

A. parallel straight lines
B. straight lines at right angles
C. geometrical curvatures positioned one above the other
D. geometrical curvatures positioned at right angles to each other

CORRECT ANSWER IS: geometrical curvatures positioned one above the other

889. QUESTION: Compared with the use of only a starting gun or command, preparatory instructions such as "on your mark, get set, go!"

A. have no effect upon reaction time
B. shorten reaction time for the experienced runner while lengthening it for the less-experienced one
C. shorten reaction time
D. lengthen reaction time

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: shorten reaction time

890. QUESTION: Two-point discrimination is assessed in the study of

A. visual acuity
B. auditory thresholds
C. cutaneous sensitivity
D. binocular depth perception

CORRECT ANSWER IS: cutaneous sensitivity

891. QUESTION: Alcohol consumption

A. shortens reactions time
B. lengthens reaction time
C. shortens auditory reaction time while lengthening visual
D. shortens visual reaction time while lengthening auditory

CORRECT ANSWER IS: lengthens reaction time

892. QUESTION: Half of line has arrows or fins pointing outwarD. The remaining half has arrows or fins pointing inwarD. The first half looks longer than the second half. This is the _____ illusion.

A. Zollner
B. Wundt
C. Muller-Lyer
D. Poggendroff

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Muller-Lyer

893. QUESTION: A researcher repeatedly displays several objects to a subject under dim light so that each time the image falls on a different area of the subject's retinA. The expected result is

A. object discrimination will be worst in the fovea
B. object discrimination will be best in the fovea
C. color discrimination will be best in the fovea

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D. color discrimination will be best at the periphery of the retina

CORRECT ANSWER IS: object discrimination will be worst in the fovea

894. QUESTION: When light changes from bright to dim the iris of the eye

A. dilates
B. constricts
C. thickens
D. remains the same

CORRECT ANSWER IS: dilates

895. QUESTION: Among monocular cues for depth perception is

A. convergence
B. retinal disparity
C. assimilation
D. interposition

CORRECT ANSWER IS: interposition

896. QUESTION: Visual and thermal reaction time

A. are faster when more sensory space is covered by the stimulus
B. are slower when more sensory space is covered by the stimulus
C. always occur together
D. depend heavily upon circadian rhythm

CORRECT ANSWER IS: are faster when more sensory space is covered by the stimulus

897. QUESTION: The rectangular table appears rectangular regardless of the distance or angle at which it is viewed. This is an example of

A. brightness constancy
B. shape constancy
C. size constancy

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D. height constancy

CORRECT ANSWER IS: shape constancy

898. QUESTION: Birds have been known to use each of the following to navigate except

A. infrasound
B. magnetic sense
C. star compass
D. echolocation

CORRECT ANSWER IS: echolocation

899. QUESTION: Perceptual phenomenon have been most prominently explored within

A. structuralism
B. behaviorism
C. gestalt
D. functionalism

CORRECT ANSWER IS: gestalt

900. QUESTION: The condition under which a person experiences the perceptual phenomenon of closure involves

A. a circle with approximately one-eighth of its line omitted
B. a triangle with a dot in the middle
C. parallel lines
D. intersecting lines

CORRECT ANSWER IS: a circle with approximately one-eighth of its line omitted

901. QUESTION: The little bumps visible on our tongue are

A. taste buds
B. axon
C. papillae
D. receptors

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: taste buds

902. QUESTION: To utilize the Purkinje effect on a night reconnaissance mission, which of the following should pilots wear in the lighted briefing session just prior to night takeoff?

A. green goggles
B. blue goggles
C. red goggles
D. yellow goggles

CORRECT ANSWER IS: red goggles

903. QUESTION: The term low threshold refers to

A. very few cycles per second
B. very low decibel level
C. low level of sensitivity to an incoming stimulus
D. high level of sensitivity to an incoming stimulus

CORRECT ANSWER IS: high level of sensitivity to an incoming stimulus

904. QUESTION: The phi-phenomenon

A. relates to electrical stimulation of the brain
B. deals with experience common to the state of alpha-wave relaxation
C. occurs in response to sequentially flashing light
D. occurs in response to a spot of light in a darkened room

CORRECT ANSWER IS: occurs in response to sequentially flashing light

905. QUESTION: A subject takes longer naming the color of the ink used when the word green is written in red than when the word button is written in reD. This is an example of

A. automatic processing
B. metacognition
C. the Stroop effect

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D. the opponent process theory

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the Stroop effect

906. QUESTION: The major laws of perceptual organization were developed by the

A. Gestaltists
B. Phenomenologists
C. Cognitivists
D. Transactionalist

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Gestaltists

907. QUESTION: Which of the following is not a taste primary?

A. bitter
B. sour
C. sweet
D. bland

CORRECT ANSWER IS: bland

908. QUESTION: The perception of depth and distance in a 3-dimensional space depends mostly on

A. texture-density gradient
B. interposition
C. binocular vision
D. movement detectors

CORRECT ANSWER IS: binocular vision

909. QUESTION: A researcher wants to study the effect of response bias and sensitivity on the perception of changes in frequency. She would use

A. Weber's law
B. Fechner's law
C. Steven's law

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D. signal detection theory

CORRECT ANSWER IS: signal detection theory

910. QUESTION: The area between the eardrum and the oval window is occupied by the

A. cochlea
B. ossicles
C. round window
D. Organ of Corti

CORRECT ANSWER IS: ossicles

911. QUESTION: The fact that a pinpoint down the railroad track is perceived by a person as a diesel engine is an example of

A. continuity
B. closure
C. size constancy
D. motion parallax

CORRECT ANSWER IS: size constancy

912. QUESTION: Top-down processing refers to

A. activating lower-order units of perception, which influence items of higher order
B. the flow process within a cognitive hierarchy
C. moving from phonemes to morphemes rather than vice versa
D. activating higher-order units of perception, which influence items of lower order

CORRECT ANSWER IS: activating higher-order units of perception, which influence items of lower order

913. QUESTION: The tendency to perceive continuous patterns in stimuli is known as

A. good continuation
B. closure
C. proximity

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D. linear perspective

CORRECT ANSWER IS: good continuation

914. QUESTION: The capacity for detecting the direction of incoming sound is

A. prominent among persons with hearing in only ear
B. possible only when hearing exists in both ears
C. explained with the Young-Helmholtz theory of audition
D. frequently termed monaural hearing

CORRECT ANSWER IS: possible only when hearing exists in both ears

915. QUESTION: The retina

A. is the round opening in the center of the eye through which light passes
B. is the photosensitive curtain of nerve cells located at the back of the eye
C. bends and focuses light rays
D. is the muscle holding the pupil in place

CORRECT ANSWER IS: is the photosensitive curtain of nerve cells located at the back of the eye

916. QUESTION: One of the earliest and most important color vision theories was formulated by

A. Young and Helson
B. Meissner and Middleton
C. Rutherford and Young
D. Young and Helmholtz

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Young and Helmholtz

917. QUESTION: "Hue" can be affected by which of the following?

A. wavelength
B. intensity of light
C. brightness of light
D. all of the above

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: all of the above

918. QUESTION: Dichotic listening tasks are used to study

A. selective attention
B. spontaneous recovery
C. good continuation
D. echoic memory

CORRECT ANSWER IS: selective attention

919. QUESTION: Experimental work in perception received its earliest beginnings with

A. Weber
B. Kohler
C. Koffka
D. Wertheimer

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Wertheimer

920. QUESTION: The cognitive field theory was developed by

A. Harlow
B. Tolman
C. Hull
D. Premack

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Tolman

921. QUESTION: Not among stimulus cues that can aid perception of depth is

A. texture
B. light and shadow
C. convergence
D. linear perspective

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: convergence

922. QUESTION: Which determine perceived size? I. Retinal size II. Pupil size III. Perceived distance

A. I only
B. II only
C. III only
D. I and III only

CORRECT ANSWER IS: I and III only

923. QUESTION: In auditory sensation. Pitch

A. is the only variable by which we distinguish sounds
B. is closely related to the loudness of sound
C. is closely related to the frequency of sound
D. is closely related to the intensity of sound

CORRECT ANSWER IS: is closely related to the frequency of sound

924. QUESTION: In the Stroop effect, we may be asked to remember the word 'blue' when the color of the word itself actually was yellow. Our response tendencies demonstrate

A. transduction
B. chaining
C. automatization
D. loci

CORRECT ANSWER IS: automatization

925. QUESTION: According to the tenets of the Zeigarnik effect

A. a completed task is more likely to be remembered than an interrupted one
B. an interrupted task is more likely to be remembered than a completed one
C. a task at the beginning of a sequence is more likely to be remembered than a task in the middle of the sequence
D. a task in the middle of a sequence is more likely to be remembered than a task at the beginning of the sequence

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: an interrupted task is more likely to be remembered than a completed one

926. QUESTION: The main function of the vestibular organs is to

A. provide a sense of balance
B. provide the ability to taste
C. provide a sense of touch
D. provide an ability to feel an emotion

CORRECT ANSWER IS: provide a sense of balance

927. QUESTION: Prominent among monocular depth cues is

A. texture-density gradient
B. retinal disparity
C. reciprocal innervations
D. retinal polarity

CORRECT ANSWER IS: texture-density gradient

928. QUESTION: The 'blind spot' refers to

A. the area of the retina that contains only rods and no cones
B. the area of the retina that contains only cones and no rods
C. the area where the optic nerve connects with the retina
D. the area on the cornea where an astigmatism occurs

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the area where the optic nerve connects with the retina

929. QUESTION: Auditory sensations are transformed from 'air waves' to nerve impulses by the

A. vestibular system
B. pinna
C. round window
D. cochlea

CORRECT ANSWER IS: cochlea

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930. QUESTION: Starting at a red stimulus for a while leads to a green afterimage. This supports

A. the duplicity theory
B. Wever's volley principle
C. Hering's opponent process theory
D. Helmholtz's trichromatic theory

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Hering's opponent process theory

931. QUESTION: An individual who receives normal sight following blindness in the early years of life

A. cannot achieve the skills of shape discrimination
B. will not develop the size-constancy aspect of perception
C. will adjust to the visual world almost instantly
D. will experience long-term muscle coordination problems because of change in reference points

CORRECT ANSWER IS: will not develop the size-constancy aspect of perception

932. QUESTION: In an auditory system, the cochlear branch

A. is located in the middle ear next to the tympanic membrane
B. is responsible for balance
C. connects the ear canal with the throat
D. is composed of three fluid filled canals, located in the inner ear

CORRECT ANSWER IS: is composed of three fluid filled canals, located in the inner ear

933. QUESTION: The major structure of inner ear is

A. anvil
B. ear canal
C. basilar membrane
D. ear drum

CORRECT ANSWER IS: basilar membrane

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934. QUESTION: When two sense organs are stimulated simultaneously, reaction time is

A. slower than when only one is stimulated
B. faster than when only one is stimulated
C. retarded in the second sensory modality being stimulated
D. retarded in the first sensory modality being stimulated

CORRECT ANSWER IS: faster than when only one is stimulated

935. QUESTION: Distinguishing objects from what surrounds them refers to

A. closure
B. figure and ground
C. proximity
D. distance

CORRECT ANSWER IS: figure and ground

936. QUESTION: Two pins are placed so close to each other on a subject's finger that they are perceived as a single point. This is because the pins have not reached the

A. absolute threshold
B. just noticeable difference
C. two-point threshold
D. action potential

CORRECT ANSWER IS: two-point threshold

937. QUESTION: The greatest concentration of cones occurs in the

A. pupil
B. optic nerve
C. fovea
D. ganglion

CORRECT ANSWER IS: fovea

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938. QUESTION: Semicircular canals are involved in which sense?

A. auditory
B. kinesthetic
C. olfactory
D. vestibular

CORRECT ANSWER IS: vestibular

939. QUESTION: The Ames room was specifically designed to test

A. shape constancy
B. size constancy
C. motion parallax
D. interposition

CORRECT ANSWER IS: size constancy

940. QUESTION: Weber's law, well established in perceptual research, states that

A. a stimulus must be increased by equal value to be just noticeably different
B. a stimulus must be increased by twice its amount to be just noticeably different
C. a stimulus must be increased by a constant fraction of its value to be just noticeably different
D. a stimulus must be increased by ten times its amount to be just noticeably different

CORRECT ANSWER IS: a stimulus must be increased by a constant fraction of its value to be just noticeably different

941. QUESTION: What was an unexpected finding among subjects in early sensory deprivation experiment?

A. delusions
B. "phantom limb phenomenon"
C. hallucinations
D. experience of motion parallax

CORRECT ANSWER IS: experience of motion parallax

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942. QUESTION: In signal-detection research, when no stimulus is presented and the subject reports seeing one, is called

A. a hit
B. a miss
C. a false alarm
D. a false positive

CORRECT ANSWER IS: a false alarm

943. QUESTION: Perceptually, to "wait till Eid-ul-Fitar" would be longest wait for the

A. elementary school child
B. teenager
C. preschool child
D. college age adult

CORRECT ANSWER IS: preschool child

944. QUESTION: The appearance of afterimages of different colors than the original stimulus is used as support for

A. opponent process theory
B. tri-color theory
C. place theory
D. frequency theory

CORRECT ANSWER IS: opponent process theory

945. QUESTION: One of the commonly demonstrated effects in strong support of the trichromatic theory has been the

A. phi-phenomenon
B. autokinetic effect
C. black-white phenomenon
D. negative afterimage

CORRECT ANSWER IS: negative afterimage

946. QUESTION: Receptor cells that are very sensitive to color are the

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A. rods
B. bipolar cells
C. cones
D. ganglion cells

CORRECT ANSWER IS: cones

947. QUESTION: As a person views picture one way, he sees craters. When he turns it 180 degrees, the craters become bumps, the perceptual phenomena are due to

A. linear perspective
B. convergence
C. light and shadow
D. relative position

CORRECT ANSWER IS: light and shadow

948. QUESTION: The familiar face-vase picture seen in most introductory and perception sources is an example of

A. parallax
B. closure
C. figure reversibility
D. size constancy

CORRECT ANSWER IS: figure reversibility

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949. QUESTION: Gibson's theory of motion perception centers primarily on the

A. stroboscopic effect
B. shape constancy
C. relation of moving object to immobile background
D. relation to phi-phenomenon to immobile background

CORRECT ANSWER IS: shape constancy

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950. QUESTION: Ali can sense the position of his leg and foot as he walks. This feedback comes courtesy of his _____ sense.

A. vestibular
B. cerebral
C. olfactory
D. kinesthetic

CORRECT ANSWER IS: kinesthetic

951. QUESTION: In sensory systems, a minimum difference between two stimuli is required before we can distinguish between them. This minimum threshold, which can be measured, is called the

A. interstimulus difference (ISD)
B. differential threshold (DL)
C. signal detectability threshold (TSD)
D. comparison stimulus threshold (CST)

CORRECT ANSWER IS: differential threshold (DL)

952. QUESTION: Fechner

A. disputed the existence of laws which described the relation of matter to consciousness
B. quantified Weber's statement of the relationship between stimulus and sensation
C. challenged Helmholtz's conception of limen
D. published a text called "Elements of Physiological Psychology"

CORRECT ANSWER IS: quantified Weber's statement of the relationship between stimulus and sensation

953. QUESTION: What would enable you to have Ponzo illusion?

A. two parallel lines
B. three dimensional box
C. set of railroad tracks extending off in the distance
D. horizontal line intersecting a vertical line

CORRECT ANSWER IS: set of railroad tracks extending off in the distance

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954. QUESTION: A person thinks that he sees a snake moving stealthily through the weeds on a distant fielD. As he gets closer, he discovers that it was only a dark piece of rope. This perceptual phenomenon is known as

A. telekinesis
B. delusion
C. hallucinations
D. illusion

CORRECT ANSWER IS: illusion

955. QUESTION: If illusion is a misperception of stimulus then hallucination is

A. delusion
B. auto-kinesis
C. response in the absence of external stimulus
D. accurate perception of an external stimulus

CORRECT ANSWER IS: response in the absence of external stimulus

956. QUESTION: Which of the following name combinations contains two Gestalt psychologists?

A. Koffka, Kohler, Kelman
B. Kohler, Cohen, Kelman
C. Wertheimer, Wundt, Kelman
D. James, Jensen, Kelman

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Koffka, Kohler, Kelman

957. QUESTION: Weber's law refers to

A. stimulus thresholds
B. sensory transduction
C. the tricolor theory
D. reinforcement rate matching

CORRECT ANSWER IS: stimulus thresholds

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958. QUESTION: Visual depth is due, in part, to:

A. rod vision
B. accommodation
C. retinal disparity
D. opponent-process

CORRECT ANSWER IS: retinal disparity

959. QUESTION: All of the following are characteristics of light except

A. photons
B. waves
C. intensity
D. photoreception

CORRECT ANSWER IS: photoreception

960. QUESTION: Gibson and Walk used a 'visual cliff' experiment to study

A. figure-ground discrimination
B. depth perception
C. feature detection
D. signal detection theory

CORRECT ANSWER IS: depth perception

961. QUESTION: The colored portion of the eye is called the

A. lens
B. iris
C. pupil
D. cornea

CORRECT ANSWER IS: iris

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962. QUESTION: Which of the following constitutes monocular depth cues?

A. relative size
B. linear perspective
C. interposition
D. all of the above

CORRECT ANSWER IS: all of the above

963. QUESTION: What refers to change in the focal length of the eye to bring a retinal image into focus?

A. binocular disparity
B. linear perspective
C. accommodation
D. assimilation

CORRECT ANSWER IS: accommodation

964. QUESTION: A string of lights is flashed in sequence. We perceive the situation as a light that moves along the string. This is a demonstration of

A. location constancy
B. brightness constancy
C. the phi phenomenon
D. binocular disparity

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the phi phenomenon

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965. QUESTION: Bottom-up information processing is best described as

A. semantically driven
B. phonetically driven
C. schematically driven
D. data driven

CORRECT ANSWER IS: data driven

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966. QUESTION: A disorder called _____ results when fluid pressure builds up inside the eye and causes damage to the optic nerve

A. prosopagnia
B. achromatospia
C. dyslexia
D. glaucoma

CORRECT ANSWER IS: glaucoma

967. QUESTION: The most fundamental principle of perceptual organization is called

A. figure and ground
B. law of closure
C. consistency
D. dark adaptation phenomenon

CORRECT ANSWER IS: law of closure

968. QUESTION: Historically, gestalt psychologists focused mainly on problems dealing with

A. development
B. learning
C. motivation
D. perception

CORRECT ANSWER IS: perception

969. QUESTION: When we look at a distant object, we usually judge its size by

A. object size
B. perspective size
C. retinal size
D. a compromise between object size and perspective size

CORRECT ANSWER IS: a compromise between object size and perspective size

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970. QUESTION: Our perceptual processes have an ability to maintain a stable internal representation of objects even when the environment is constantly changing. For which of the following stimulus dimensions does this statement hold true?

A. shape
B. size
C. brightness
D. all of these

CORRECT ANSWER IS: all of these

971. QUESTION: The sense that humans depend on more than the other four combined is

A. audition
B. taste
C. vision
D. touch

CORRECT ANSWER IS: vision

972. QUESTION: Which of the following explains why cartoons are not perceived as a series of still frames?

A. Autokinetic effect
B. Motion parallax
C. the phi phenomenon
D. The Muller-Lyer illusion

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the phi phenomenon

973. QUESTION: One of the pioneers of the psychology of perception was

A. McDougall
B. Jung
C. Skinner
D. Helmholtz

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Helmholtz

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974. QUESTION: Optical illusions result from distortion in

A. transudation
B. sensation
C. perception
D. adaptation

CORRECT ANSWER IS: perception

975. QUESTION: The detection of physical energy emitted or reflected by physical objects, it occurs when energy in the external environment or the body stimulates receptors in the sense organs

A. cognition
B. sensation
C. perception
D. adaptation

CORRECT ANSWER IS: perception

976. QUESTION: The opponent-process theory of color perception was proposed by

A. Hering
B. Helmholtz
C. Franklin
D. Premack

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Hering

977. QUESTION: In listening to two conversations simultaneously, it is possible to attend to one and ignore the other if the differ in

A. semantics
B. pragmatics
C. syntax
D. pitch

CORRECT ANSWER IS: pitch

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978. QUESTION: Sensory deprivation experiments place a person in an isolated environment where their senses are provided little or no inputs, i.e., they can't see, hear, smell, or taste and their sense of touch is severely limiteD. After a short time, the typical reaction of most people is

A. sleep
B. boredom
C. hallucinations
D. a restive content state

CORRECT ANSWER IS: hallucinations

979. QUESTION: Which of the following is not a Gestalt Law of Organization?

A. closure
B. proximity
C. continuation
D. all of the above

CORRECT ANSWER IS: all of the above

980. QUESTION: The ability to view the world in 3 dimensions and to perceive distance is

A. depth perception
B. illusion
C. delusion
D. none of these

CORRECT ANSWER IS: depth perception

981. QUESTION: Weber's law applies to a specific range of intensities in

A. hearing only
B. vision only
C. hearing and vision only
D. all of these senses

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: all of these senses

982. QUESTION: Suppose you stare at a yellow square for two minutes, then shift your gaze to a white piece of paper. You will see a _____ afterimage as predicted by _____ theory.

A. blue, opponent process
B. red, opponent process
C. blue, trichromatic
D. green, trichromatic

CORRECT ANSWER IS: blue, opponent process

983. QUESTION: By the perceptual organization of stimuli the person's span of attention is

A. increased
B. decreased
C. divided
D. unaffected

CORRECT ANSWER IS: increased

984. QUESTION: The wavelength of green is

A. greater than yellow but less than blue
B. greater than either yellow or blue
C. the same wavelength as yellow
D. greater than blue but less than yellow

CORRECT ANSWER IS: greater than blue but less than yellow

985. QUESTION: Which of the following is not a law of perceptual grouping?

A. proximity
B. similarity
C. constancy
D. continuation

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: constancy

986. QUESTION: When we say that our visual system is 50% crossed, we mean that

A. half of the information from the right visual field is perceived by the left retina
B. half of the fibers from the optic nerve cross over to the opposite side of the brain
C. half of the visual image strikes the left side of the retina, and the other half strikes the right side of the retina
D. half of the visual image is inverted in the retina

CORRECT ANSWER IS: half of the fibers from the optic nerve cross over to the opposite side of the brain

987. QUESTION: Other than albinos, most humans said to be color blind are not. They actually

A. see all the colors but miss-name them
B. see colors intermittently instead of constantly
C. see two of the three major color groups
D. see all the colors but not as vividly as others see them

CORRECT ANSWER IS: see two of the three major color groups

988. QUESTION: Hermann von Helmholtz is, in part, famous for his theory of

A. color blindness
B. color vision
C. lateral inhibition
D. sensory transduction

CORRECT ANSWER IS: color blindness

989. QUESTION: Suppose you just stepped off a ride at an amusement park in which you were spinning rapidly. Which part of the sensory system is related to the disorientation you now experience?

A. cochlea
B. Eustachian tubes
C. semicircular canals
D. visual cortex

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: semicircular canals

990. QUESTION: What can occur if a person believes that a connection exists between an act and its consequences when there is no relationship between the two?

A. classical conditioning
B. shaping
C. superstitious behavior
D. none of these

CORRECT ANSWER IS: superstitious behavior

991. QUESTION: Physical sounds from our environment are translated into electrical messages in the

A. spiral geniculate
B. trapezoid body
C. cochlea
D. spiral ganglion

CORRECT ANSWER IS: cochlea

992. QUESTION: The cue of accommodation is especially effective for

A. long distances
B. short distances
C. moving objects
D. both a and c

CORRECT ANSWER IS: long distances

993. QUESTION: Dember believes figure reversibility is evidence of the fact that

A. the eyes are highly adaptable
B. cone vision predominates during bright intensity viewing
C. change is essential to the maintenance of perception
D. figure-ground is an essentially useless perceptual concept

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: change is essential to the maintenance of perception

994. QUESTION: The theory of Selective Attention was proposed by

A. Selfridge
B. Bruner
C. Broadbent
D. Lockhart and Craik

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Broadbent

995. QUESTION: Which of the following sensory systems involves the ganglion cells and the ciliary muscles?

A. Cutaneous
B. Auditory
C. Visual
D. Olfactory

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Visual

996. QUESTION: A famous study by Eleanor Gibson employed a visual cliff with a checkered pattern. The results suggested that

A. depth perception is learned
B. pattern perception is learned
C. depth perception is innate
D. pattern perception is innate

CORRECT ANSWER IS: depth perception is innate

997. QUESTION: The ability to focus on stimuli in which we are interested while resisting distracting stimuli is called

A. concentrated attending
B. stimulus focusing
C. selective attention
D. structured perceiving

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: selective attention

998. QUESTION: Which part of the eye inverts the image of objects?

A. fovea
B. cornea
C. lens
D. retina

CORRECT ANSWER IS: lens

999. QUESTION: Perception is the process by which

A. stimulus energies are detected
B. stimulus energies are transformed into neural activity
C. sensory input is selected, organized and interpreted
D. nerve cells respond to specific features of a stimulus

CORRECT ANSWER IS: sensory input is selected, organized and interpreted

1000. QUESTION: Inability to monitor the movements of one's feet and the absence of feedback regarding their position and relationship to the ground would suggest problems with the

A. labyrinthine sensory system
B. kinesthetic sensory system
C. thermal sensory system
D. visceral sensory system

CORRECT ANSWER IS: kinesthetic sensory system

1001. QUESTION: The light sensitive cells on the retina are the

A. bipolar cells and neurons
B. olfactory receptors and cones
C. rods and cones
D. chromo-cells and phototonus

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: rods and cones

1002. QUESTION: Which of the following sensory system components is said to accommodate?

A. cornea
B. Lens
C. Retina
D. Tympanic membrane

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Lens

1003. QUESTION: Auditory processes in humans are sensitive to auditory frequencies ranging from

A. 10 Hz - 50,000 Hz
B. 20 Hz - 20,000 Hz
C. 5,000 Hz - 100,000 Hz
D. 5,000 Hz - 50,000 Hz

CORRECT ANSWER IS: 20 Hz - 20,000 Hz

1004. QUESTION: The degree of concentration or dilution of a color is known as its

A. brightness
B. hue
C. volume
D. saturation

CORRECT ANSWER IS: brightness

1005. QUESTION: Sensation is to _____ as perception is to _____

A. encoding, detection
B. detection, interpretation
C. organization, adaptation
D. interpretation, organization

CORRECT ANSWER IS: detection, interpretation

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1006. QUESTION: In studies of attention, shadowing is used to

A. mask all information from attention
B. differentially mask irrelevant information
C. be sure the subject's attention is concentrated on a single task
D. mediate the subject's attention between 2 or more tasks

CORRECT ANSWER IS: be sure the subject's attention is concentrated on a single task

1007. QUESTION: Three dimensional perception of the world is referred to as

A. stereopsis
B. stroboscopy
C. normal vision
D. multiple perspectives

CORRECT ANSWER IS: normal vision

1008. QUESTION: Selecting colors for a sign that must show up prominently at dusk, one might be best advised to choose

A. red
B. yellow
C. violet
D. pink

CORRECT ANSWER IS: violet

1009. QUESTION: Subjects in an experiment are asked to look at a sample line and then pick one of three line lengths that they believe is the same length as the sample line. Many subjects will make an incorrect choice because other people did so before then. These studies by Solomon Ashe demonstrate that

A. people are not good at judging line lengths
B. errors are made when people are nervous
C. people need to obey authority
D. peer pressure will influence our perceptions

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: peer pressure will influence our perceptions

1010. QUESTION: A psychophysicist would be most directly concerned with

A. our physiological reactions to physical stress
B. the relation between the wavelength of light and the experience of color
C. the automatic effect of bright lights on the contraction of the pupils
D. the effects of physical disease on sensory receptor cells

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the relation between the wavelength of light and the experience of color

1011. QUESTION: The taste buds on the tip of the tongue are most sensitive to

A. salty tastes
B. sour tastes
C. bitter tastes
D. sweet tastes

CORRECT ANSWER IS: sweet tastes

1012. QUESTION: Differences in perception among species depends upon

A. Habitual
B. complexity of nervous system
C. receptor mechanism
D. all of the above

CORRECT ANSWER IS: complexity of nervous system

1013. QUESTION: The minimum amount of stimulation a person needs to detect a stimulus 50 percent of the time is called the

A. difference threshold
B. sensory adaptation threshold
C. subliminal threshold
D. absolute threshold

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: absolute threshold

1014. QUESTION: Visual information travels from the optic nerve to the

A. lateral geniculate nucleus
B. occipital lobe
C. superior colliculus
D. all of the above

CORRECT ANSWER IS: all of the above

1015. QUESTION: A motion picture depends for its perceptual success upon

A. the physiological limitations of the human visual apparatus
B. the unique capacities of the optic chiasm
C. synesthesia
D. motion parallax

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the physiological limitations of the human visual apparatus

1016. QUESTION: You are leaving an evening class at 9:00 P.M. The parking lot is dimly lighteD. All the vehicles look grey but you can see your yellow car. You are experiencing the perceptual phenomena of

A. opponent theory
B. binocular disparity
C. nocturnal chromatic integrity
D. color constancy

CORRECT ANSWER IS: color constancy

1017. QUESTION: Perceptual constancy refers to

A. perception of an object remaining the same even when our immediate sensation of the object changes
B. perceptual tendency to group objects together on the basis of their similarity
C. perception of an object changing even though the object stays the same
D. tendency of close up, incomplete objects into already existing perceptual shapes

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: perception of an object remaining the same even when our immediate sensation of the object changes

1018. QUESTION: In contrast to the cones,

A. rods function mainly in night vision
B. rods are concentrated in the fovea
C. rods produce color images, as well as black and white images
D. rods are connected to bipolar cells in a one-to-one ratio

CORRECT ANSWER IS: rods function mainly in night vision

1019. QUESTION: Convergence of the eyes is controlled primarily by

A. extrinsic muscles of the eye
B. curvature of lens
C. ciliary muscles of eye
D. muscles of iris

CORRECT ANSWER IS: ciliary muscles of eye

1020. QUESTION: Which of the senses foes the majority of hallucinations occur in?

A. sight
B. smell
C. hearing
D. taste

CORRECT ANSWER IS: hearing

1021. QUESTION: Feedback regarding internal organs of the body is obtained through the

A. skin sense
B. somesthetic senses
C. visceral senses
D. striated senses

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: visceral senses

1022. QUESTION: Which of the following equations expresses Fechner's Law of psychophysics?

A. I/I = C
B. I/K = S
C. S = K log I
D. S = I log K

CORRECT ANSWER IS: S = K log I

1023. QUESTION: During a hearing test, many sounds were presented at such a low level of intensity that Mr. Zafar could hardly ever detect them. These sounds were below Mr. Zafar's

A. subliminal
B. absolute threshold
C. difference threshold
D. sensory adaptation threshold

CORRECT ANSWER IS: absolute threshold

1024. QUESTION: Gestaltists refer to the fact that we perceive smooth flowing forms more readily than discrete forms as

A. similarity
B. symmetry
C. holistic perception
D. continuity

CORRECT ANSWER IS: continuity

1025. QUESTION: perception involves

A. selection of the signal
B. interpretation of signals
C. organization of signal
D. all of the above

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: all of the above

1026. QUESTION: Which of the following is a dimension of visual experience?

A. loudness
B. pitch
C. timbre
D. brightness

CORRECT ANSWER IS: brightness

1027. QUESTION: There are five recognized senses in human beings. Two other abilities that may be added to the list include

A. telepathy and precognition
B. psycho-kinesis and kinesthesis
C. balance and kinesthesis
D. psycho-kinesis and clairvoyance

CORRECT ANSWER IS: balance and kinesthesis

1028. QUESTION: In reaction time settings

A. at levels close to threshold, increasing the strength of a stimulus shortens reaction time
B. at level close to threshold, decreasing duration of a stimulus shortens reaction time
C. at level close to threshold, decreasing the strength of a stimulus shortens reaction time
D. kinesthetic is generally the sensory modality utilized

CORRECT ANSWER IS: at levels close to threshold, increasing the strength of a stimulus shortens reaction time

1029. QUESTION: The gestalt experience of perceiving an array of equally spaced dots as rows and columns is attributed to

A. wholistic functions
B. continuity
C. proximity

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D. additive vision

CORRECT ANSWER IS: proximity

1030. QUESTION: Which of the following is not a characteristic of perception?

A. perception is an active process
B. perception is highly selective
C. perception is unaffected by motivation
D. perception is so automotive that we are not aware of it

CORRECT ANSWER IS: perception is so automotive that we are not aware of it

1031. QUESTION: The alpha wave has a frequency of approximately how many cycles per second?

A. five
B. twenty
C. thirty
D. ten

CORRECT ANSWER IS: ten

1032. QUESTION: What is not an example of perceptual constancy?

A. size
B. shape
C. color
D. dimension

CORRECT ANSWER IS: dimension

1033. QUESTION: In any sensory system, the strength of a stimulus may be coded in the _____ of firing of the individual neuron.

A. frequency
B. pattern
C. strength

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D. all of these

CORRECT ANSWER IS: frequency

1034. QUESTION: All human senses evolved for the same purpose to

A. increase our ability to enjoy the environment
B. make us more aware of our feelings and internal states
C. provide information that could improve our ability to communicate
D. help us survive

CORRECT ANSWER IS: help us survive

1035. QUESTION: Some of the fibers from each eye cross over to the opposite brain hemisphere at the

A. optic chiasma
B. optic nerve
C. blind spot
D. fovea

CORRECT ANSWER IS: optic chiasma

1036. QUESTION: The human eye is insensitive to light waves shorter than about _____ and longer than _____ nanometers.

A. 450, 850
B. 350, 750
C. 100, 2000
D. 150, 1050

CORRECT ANSWER IS: 350, 750

1037. QUESTION: As Sana traveled down the 'yellow brick road', if she looked down at her feet, the bricks would appear their normal size. However, if she looked ahead down the road, the bricks would appear to be smaller. This can be explained by the perceptual phenomenon of

A. linear perspective

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B. texture gradient
C. interposition
D. relative size

CORRECT ANSWER IS: texture gradient

1038. QUESTION: The statement that can be concluded from dream research is

A. dreaming apparently serves a basic organismic need
B. dreaming is dispensable and unnecessary
C. most person do not dream
D. dreaming drops markedly in frequency among the elderly

CORRECT ANSWER IS: dreaming apparently serves a basic organismic need

1039. QUESTION: Myopia, or near sightedness is caused by

A. a cloudy cornea
B. an elongated eyeball
C. a malfunction of the lens of the eye
D. an eyeball that has become shortened

CORRECT ANSWER IS: an elongated eyeball

1040. QUESTION: The fovea and the blind spot are both features of the

A. cornea
B. lens
C. retina
D. pupil

CORRECT ANSWER IS: retina

1041. QUESTION: All of the following are cells of the retina except

A. ganglion cells
B. bipolar cells

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C. rod and cones
D. granule cells

CORRECT ANSWER IS: granule cells

1042. QUESTION: Which one of the following is not a dimension of the auditory experience?

A. loudness
B. pitch
C. saturation
D. timbre

CORRECT ANSWER IS: saturation

1043. QUESTION: A researcher wants to study the effect of response bias and sensitivity on the perception of changes in frequency. She would most likely use

A. Weber's law
B. Steven's law
C. signal detection theory
D. Fechner's law

CORRECT ANSWER IS: signal detection theory

1044. QUESTION: Humans are most sensitive to the taste of _____ and least sensitive to _____

A. sourness, saltiness
B. bitterness, sourness
C. bitterness, sweetness
D. sourness, sweetness

CORRECT ANSWER IS: bitterness, sweetness

1045. QUESTION: One subject partially blocks your view of a second object and, therefore, the first object is seen as being closer to you than the second object. This is an example of

A. relative size

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B. good continuation
C. interposition
D. the Poggendroff illusion

CORRECT ANSWER IS: interposition

1046. QUESTION: In Wolfgang Kohler's experiments, a chimp is put in a cage containing three boxes and a banana suspended high above the animal's heaD. After first trying to jump up to reach the banana, the chimp looks around them then stacks the three boxes so it can climb up to the bananA. This is an example of

A. trial and error
B. latent learning
C. insight learning
D. shaping

CORRECT ANSWER IS: insight learning

1047. QUESTION: A subject in an experiment wears a set of earphones that allow different messages to be given to each ear. The subject is asked to repeat one of the messages aloud as she hears it. This technique is called

A. auditory processing
B. the traveling wave
C. shadowing
D. spreading activation

CORRECT ANSWER IS: shadowing

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1048. QUESTION: "Visual Cliff" experiments suggest that

A. tactile perceptions are an important aspect of depth perception
B. depth perception improves with experience in the environment
C. depth perception is innate in certain species
D. a and b are correct

CORRECT ANSWER IS: depth perception is innate in certain species

1049. QUESTION: The ability of the eye to distinguish fine details is called

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A. visual dilation
B. visual acuity
C. visual sensitivity
D. adaptation

CORRECT ANSWER IS: visual acuity

1050. QUESTION: The best studied perceptual constancies include

A. brightness, focus, angle
B. shape, location, size
C. color, texture, content
D. size, age, weight

CORRECT ANSWER IS: color, texture, content

1051. QUESTION: Besides the lens, what other structure is responsible for bringing an image into focus on the retina?

A. cornea
B. iris
C. fovea
D. sclera

CORRECT ANSWER IS: cornea

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1052. QUESTION: The absolute threshold for vision refers to

A. the colors we see best
B. the minimum decibel level required to see
C. the maximum number of colors that we can simultaneously process
D. the minimum amount of light for us to see the stimulus

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the minimum amount of light for us to see the stimulus

1053. QUESTION: The method that is commonly used to study selective attention is

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A. shadowing in a dichotic listening task
B. presentation of subliminal messages on a screen
C. presentation of subliminal messages on an audiotape
D. questionnaires that test the contents of a short-term memory

CORRECT ANSWER IS: shadowing in a dichotic listening task

1054. QUESTION: What is not a Gestalt grouping principle of perception?

A. closure
B. proximity
C. disparity
D. similarity

CORRECT ANSWER IS: disparity

1055. QUESTION: The process of detecting, translating and transmitting messages from the external environment to the brain is called

A. sensation
B. perception
C. selective attention
D. adaptation

CORRECT ANSWER IS: perception

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1056. QUESTION: Motion pictures are based on

A. the gamma phenomenon
B. the principle of illusory circle
C. the autokinetic illusion
D. stroboscopic motion

CORRECT ANSWER IS: stroboscopic motion

1057. QUESTION: Which structure is located in the middle ear?

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A. basilar membrane
B. incus
C. tympanic membrane
D. ear drum

CORRECT ANSWER IS: incus

1058. QUESTION: The largest sense organ of the body is/are the

A. eyes
B. ears
C. tongue
D. skin

CORRECT ANSWER IS: skin

1059. QUESTION: The vibrations of the eardrum are transmitted to the inner ear by the

A. cochlea
B. malleus, incus and stapes
C. basilar membrane
D. hair cells

CORRECT ANSWER IS: malleus, incus and stapes

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1060. QUESTION: The principle that two stimuli must differ by a constant proportion for their difference to be perceived is known as

A. Weber's law
B. the opponent-process theory
C. feature detection
D. the difference threshold

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Weber's law

1061. QUESTION: The cochlea is a

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A. fluid-filled tube in which sound waves trigger nerve impulses
B. fluid-filled tube that provides a sense of upright body position
C. fluid-filled tube that provides a sense of body movement
D. set of three tiny bones that amplify the vibrations of the eardrum

CORRECT ANSWER IS: fluid-filled tube in which sound waves trigger nerve impulses

1062. QUESTION: Which of the following is a binocular cue for the perception of distance?

A. interposition
B. convergence
C. closure
D. linear perspective

CORRECT ANSWER IS: convergence

1063. QUESTION: Psychophysics is the study of relationship between

A. the physical stimulus and the sensation it produces
B. physical disorders and psychological disorders
C. motivational states and physiological responses
D. the quantity and quality of a stimulus

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the physical stimulus and the sensation it produces

1064. QUESTION: The color a person sees at any moment depends upon

A. which one of the three types of cones is being stimulated
B. the ratio of activity in each of the three different types of cones
C. which one of the three types of cones is maximally active
D. which one of the three types of photo-pigments breaks down most completely

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the ratio of activity in each of the three different types of cones

1065. QUESTION: It is easier to see a camouflaged animal when it moves than when it stays still. This illustrates the Gestalt principle of

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A. closure
B. proximity
C. similarity
D. common movement

CORRECT ANSWER IS: common movement

1066. QUESTION: You see a photograph showing a man, a woman and a car. The two people appear closer to you than the car does because they obscure part of it. This depth cue is called

A. eye convergence
B. linear perspective
C. relative image size of familiar objects
D. occlusion

CORRECT ANSWER IS: occlusion

1067. QUESTION: Failure to realize how hot the bath water really is after you have been sitting in it for ten minutes best illustrates the process of sensory

A. adaptation
B. accommodation
C. continuity
D. threshold

CORRECT ANSWER IS: adaptation

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1068. QUESTION: Size constancy refers to our perception of an object's size as the same even though its image on the retina _____ as the distance between us and the object

A. increases, decreases
B. decreases, increases
C. decreases, decreases
D. a and b

CORRECT ANSWER IS: decreases, increases

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1069. QUESTION: Sea water that feels too cool at first may feel just fine after you've stayed in water a little while. This is an illustration of

A. sensory adaptation
B. coding
C. transduction
D. masking

CORRECT ANSWER IS: sensory adaptation

1070. QUESTION: The basilar membrane in lined with

A. hair cells
B. olfactory receptors
C. bipolar cells
D. feature detectors

CORRECT ANSWER IS: hair cells

1071. QUESTION: Some people, due to a genetic defect, cannot distinguish between red and green. These people are referred to as

A. monochromats, because they see red and green as the same color
B. Dichromates, because they lack one color receptor
C. trichromats, because they have only three color receptors
D. Dichromates, because both their red and their green color receptors are abnormal

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Dichromates, because they lack one color receptor

1072. QUESTION: If two objects are assumed to be the same size, the object that casts the smaller retinal image is perceived to be

A. more coarsely textured
B. less hazy
C. more distant
D. closer

CORRECT ANSWER IS: more distant

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1073. QUESTION: A visual scene can be separated into two parts, the _____ which is the object that commands our attention, and the _____ which seems to exist continuously behind the object.

A. figure, ground
B. good form, good continuation
C. ground, background
D. good form, circumscription

CORRECT ANSWER IS: figure, ground

1074. QUESTION: Which part of the ear is designed to receive sound and funnel it inward to the structure where transduction occurs?

A. cochlea
B. basilar membrane
C. outer ear
D. auditory nerve

CORRECT ANSWER IS: outer ear

1075. QUESTION: The amount of light entering the eye is regulated by the

A. lens
B. iris
C. retina
D. Coptic nerve

CORRECT ANSWER IS: iris

1076. QUESTION: The absolute threshold is

A. the weakest stimulus of a given type that a subject detects on every trial
B. the weakest stimulus of a given type that a subject detects in some percentage of trials
C. the strongest stimulus of a given type that a person can be exposed to without neural damage
D. the smallest difference that a subject detects between similar stimuli on every trial

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: the weakest stimulus of a given type that a subject detects in some percentage of trials

1077. QUESTION: Experimental evidence indicates that the ability to judge the size of an unfamiliar object depends on

A. motion cues
B. depth cues
C. time cues
D. all of the above

CORRECT ANSWER IS: depth cues

1078. QUESTION: Cones are to vision as _____ are to audition

A. eardrums
B. cochlea
C. oval windows
D. hair cells

CORRECT ANSWER IS: hair cells

1079. QUESTION: The first part of the ear that vibrates in response to incoming sound waves is the

A. ossicles
B. eardrum
C. basilar membrane
D. tectorial membrane

CORRECT ANSWER IS: eardrum

1080. QUESTION: Which of the following cues do artists us to convey depth on a flat canvas?

A. convergence
B. continuity
C. interposition
D. closure

CORRECT ANSWER IS: interposition

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1081. QUESTION: What would Gestalt psychologist say is reversing in a reversible figure, such as the vase-faces figure in your textbook?

A. figure-ground relations
B. perception of similarity
C. good continuation
D. border and texture

CORRECT ANSWER IS: figure-ground relations

1082. QUESTION: A time lag between left and right auditory stimulation is important for accurately

A. locating sounds
B. detecting pitch
C. determining loudness
D. judging amplitude

CORRECT ANSWER IS: locating sounds

1083. QUESTION: The minimum amount of stimulus energy that can reliably be detected is called

A. the difference threshold
B. the absolute threshold
C. the differential threshold
D. a JND

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the absolute threshold

1084. QUESTION: The light-sensitive inner surface of the eye, containing the rods and cones, is the

A. optic nerve
B. cornea
C. retina
D. iris

CORRECT ANSWER IS: retina

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1085. QUESTION: Movement illusions such as the moon-cloud illusion, in which the moon appears to race from cloud to cloud, illustrate the role in visual perception played by

A. binocular disparity
B. a frame of reference
C. a linear perspective
D. bottom-up processing

CORRECT ANSWER IS: a frame of reference

1086. QUESTION: The perceived size of an object is most strongly influenced by that object's perceived

A. shape
B. color
C. distance
D. motion

CORRECT ANSWER IS: distance

1087. QUESTION: The major function of the structures in the middle ear is to

A. reduce the pressure that sound waves exert on the inner ear
B. increase the pressure that sound waves exert on the inner ear
C. reduce the frequency of sound waves reaching the inner ear
D. increase the frequency of sound waves reaching the inner ear

CORRECT ANSWER IS: increase the pressure that sound waves exert on the inner ear

1088. QUESTION: The opponent-process theory is to our sense of color as the gate-control theory is to our sense of

A. smell
B. touch
C. kinesthesia
D. pain

CORRECT ANSWER IS: pain

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1089. QUESTION: Signal detection depends on a person's

A. sensory sensitivity
B. response bias
C. difference threshold
D. both a and b

CORRECT ANSWER IS: both a and b

1090. QUESTION: Hair cells are to audition as _____ are to vision

A. pupils
B. corneas
C. rods and cones
D. bipolar cells

CORRECT ANSWER IS: rods and cones

1091. QUESTION: Under what circumstances could a subject looking at a reversible figure see both figures simultaneously?

A. when the image contains a fully circumscribed figure
B. when the image contains a partially circumscribed figure
C. when both figures are equally familiar to the subject
D. under no circumstances

CORRECT ANSWER IS: under no circumstances

1092. QUESTION: A perceptual set is a

A. tendency to fill in gaps so as to perceive a complete, whole object
B. readiness to perceive an object in a distorted fashion
C. tendency to group similar elements
D. mental predisposition that influences what we receive

CORRECT ANSWER IS: mental predisposition that influences what we receive

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1093. QUESTION: Visual constancies are characteristics, such as size, shape and lightness that

A. do not appear to change when viewing conditions change
B. seldom appear to change because we expect them to remain the same
C. are physically immutable
D. both b and c

CORRECT ANSWER IS: do not appear to change when viewing conditions change

1094. QUESTION: The receptors for hearing are located

A. in the cochlea
B. on the basilar membrane
C. in the inner ear
D. in or on all of the above

CORRECT ANSWER IS: in or on all of the above

1095. QUESTION: Your sensitivity to taste will decline if you

A. smoke heavily
B. grow older
C. consume large amounts of alcohol
D. do any of the above

CORRECT ANSWER IS: do any of the above

1096. QUESTION: Assuming that Weber's law is correct, if you can just barely distinguish a 93-gram weight from a 90-gram weight, you should be able just barely to distinguish a _____ weight from a 300-gram weight

A. 303-gram
B. 306-gram
C. 309-gram
D. 310-gram

CORRECT ANSWER IS: 310-gram

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1097. QUESTION: Our expectations of what we will see can sometimes affect what we actually do see. These expectations are referred to as our

A. principles of grouping
B. model of attention
C. unconscious inferences
D. perceptual set

CORRECT ANSWER IS: perceptual set

1098. QUESTION: Which cells are located closest to the back of the retina?

A. rods and cones
B. bipolar cells
C. ganglion cells
D. feature detectors

CORRECT ANSWER IS: rods and cones

1099. QUESTION: Which of the following is true?

A. the absolute threshold for any stimulus is a constant
B. the absolute threshold for any stimulus varies somewhat
C. the absolute threshold is defined as the minimum amount of stimulation necessary for a stimulus to be detected 75 percentage of the time
D. the absolute is defined as the minimum amount of stimulation necessary for a stimulus to be detected 60 percentage of the time

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the absolute threshold for any stimulus varies somewhat

1100. QUESTION: Although Zahra sees her chemistry professor several times each week, she had difficulty recognizing the professor when she walked pass her in the Anarkali Bazar. This best illustrates the effect of _____ on perception

A. convergence
B. context
C. proximity

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D. closure

CORRECT ANSWER IS: context

1101. QUESTION: Which of the following would pay a role in quickly alerting you to a gas leak in your home?

A. vestibular sacs
B. olfactory receptors
C. bipolar cells
D. basilar membrane

CORRECT ANSWER IS: olfactory receptors

1102. QUESTION: In the human visual system, light is focused by

A. the cornea
B. the lens
C. the retina
D. both the cornea and the lens

CORRECT ANSWER IS: both the cornea and the lens

1103. QUESTION: Perception is defined as the

A. registration and coding of various energies impinging on the body's sense organs
B. process of planning and making decisions based on environmental information
C. process of integrating and organizing sensory information in order to make sense out of it
D. conscious awareness and processing of incoming sensory information

CORRECT ANSWER IS: process of integrating and organizing sensory information in order to make sense out of it

1104. QUESTION: The blind spot is located in the area of the retina

A. called the cornea
B. that contains rods but no cones
C. where the optic nerve leaves the eye
D. where bipolar cells connect with ganglion cells

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: where the optic nerve leaves the eye

1105. QUESTION: A police officer is a tense and possibly dangerous situation may "see" a hammer in a man's hand as a gun. This mistake could be attributed to the officer's

A. perceptual set
B. selective viewing
C. Stroop interference
D. frame illusion

CORRECT ANSWER IS: perceptual set

1106. QUESTION: Light activates receptor cells in the

A. iris
B. retina
C. optic nerve
D. cornea

CORRECT ANSWER IS: retina

1107. QUESTION: A Gestalt is best described as a/an

A. binocular cue
B. interposition
C. perceptual adaptation
D. organized whole

CORRECT ANSWER IS: organized whole

1108. QUESTION: The size of the pupil is controlled by the

A. lens
B. retina
C. cornea
D. iris

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: iris

1109. QUESTION: The conversion of the mechanical energy produced by sound waves into neural impulses occurs in the

A. eardrum
B. middle ear
C. cochlea
D. ear canal

CORRECT ANSWER IS: cochlea

1110. QUESTION: The perceptual processes that make use of preexisting knowledge to interpret new information are called

A. sensory processes
B. top-down processes
C. bottom-up processes
D. parallel processes

CORRECT ANSWER IS: top-down processes

1111. QUESTION: A person identify a word faster if it is part of a meaningful sentence than if it is part of a meaningless string of words. This observation constitutes evidence for the

A. eye movement readiness theory
B. attenuation theory of attention
C. power of top-down processing
D. power of bottom-up processing

CORRECT ANSWER IS: power of top-down processing

1112. QUESTION: Which receptor cells most directly enable us to distinguish different wavelengths of light?

A. rods
B. cones
C. bipolar cells

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D. feature detectors

CORRECT ANSWER IS: cones

1113. QUESTION: The function of the pupil is

A. it focuses light to create an image on the retina
B. it binds the axons that form the optic nerve
C. it allows light to reach the retina
D. it creates high-acuity, color vision

CORRECT ANSWER IS: it allows light to reach the retina

1114. QUESTION: The process by which the lens changes its curvature is

A. accommodation
B. sensory adaptation
C. focusing
D. transduction

CORRECT ANSWER IS: accommodation

1115. QUESTION: Gestalt psychologists emphasized that

A. perception is the same as sensation
B. we learn to perceive the world through experience
C. the whole is more than the sum of its parts
D. sensation has no effect on perception

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the whole is more than the sum of its parts

1116. QUESTION: Students stand in groups waiting for someone to unlock their classroom. The people in each group are able to attend to the voices in their own conversation group and screen out the voices in others. This is an example of

A. shadowing
B. selective listening
C. parallel processing

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D. divided attention

CORRECT ANSWER IS: selective listening

1117. QUESTION: The idea that the whole is different from the sum of its parts is most central to

A. Treisman's feature-integration theory of perception
B. Biederman's recognition-by-components theory of perception
C. Helmholtz's unconscious inference theory of perception
D. the Gestalt theory of perception

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the Gestalt theory of perception

1118. QUESTION: As compared to long objects, short objects vibrate _____ and produce sound waves of _____ frequency.

A. slower, lower
B. slower, higher
C. faster, lower
D. faster, higher

CORRECT ANSWER IS: faster, higher

1119. QUESTION: The receptor of the eye that functions best in dim light is the

A. fovea
B. ganglion
C. cone
D. rod

CORRECT ANSWER IS: rod

1120. QUESTION: Evidence that some cones are especially sensitive to red light, others to green light, and still others to blue light is most directly supportive of

A. Weber's law
B. the Young-Helmholtz theory

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C. the gate-control theory
D. the opponent process theory

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the Young-Helmholtz theory

1121. QUESTION: The muscle fibers of the iris can increase or decrease the amount of light entering the eye by expanding or contracting the

A. lens
B. cornea
C. pupil
D. fovea

CORRECT ANSWER IS: pupil

1122. QUESTION: Gestalt is a _____ word that means organized whole

A. German
B. French
C. Latin
D. Spanish

CORRECT ANSWER IS: German

1123. QUESTION: The perception of an object as distinct from its surroundings is called

A. perceptual set
B. selective attention
C. figure-ground perception
D. interposition

CORRECT ANSWER IS: figure-ground perception

1124. QUESTION: The two cues that contribute to the binocular advantage in depth perception are _____ and more importantly

A. binocular disparity, motion parallax

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B. motion parallax, binocular disparity
C. binocular disparity, eye convergence
D. eye convergence, binocular disparity

CORRECT ANSWER IS: eye convergence, binocular disparity

1125. QUESTION: In the Muller-Lyer illusion, the arrowheads at the ends of the lines lead people to misjudge the _____ of the two horizontal lines

A. continuity
B. relative height
C. length
D. convergence

CORRECT ANSWER IS: length

1126. QUESTION: Compared with cone vision, rod vision is

A. more acute and more sensitive
B. less acute and less sensitive
C. more acute and less sensitive
D. less acute and more sensitive

CORRECT ANSWER IS: less acute and more sensitive

1127. QUESTION: When most people stare first at a blue circle and then shift their eyes to a white surface, the afterimage of the circle appears

A. green
B. red
C. yellow
D. blue

CORRECT ANSWER IS: yellow

1128. QUESTION: The Young-Helmholtz theory proposes that

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A. there are three different types of color-sensitive cones
B. retinal cells are excited by one color and inhibited by its complementary color
C. there are four different types of cones
D. rod, not cone, vision accounts for our ability to detect fine visual detail

CORRECT ANSWER IS: there are three different types of color-sensitive cones

1129. QUESTION: Gestalt psychologists asserted that the whole is _____ the sum of its parts and is perceived _____

A. less meaningful than, after the parts are combined
B. equivalent to, as a set of discrete units
C. more meaningful than, as a set of connected units
D. different from, immediately as a complete entity

CORRECT ANSWER IS: different from, immediately as a complete entity

1130. QUESTION: Figure is to ground as _____ is to _____

A. form, substance
B. up, down
C. summer, winter
D. moon, sky

CORRECT ANSWER IS: moon, sky

1131. QUESTION: Which of the following is a binocular cue to depth that operates when the object is within a few inches of the eye?

A. motion parallax
B. occlusion
C. linear perspective
D. binocular disparity

CORRECT ANSWER IS: binocular disparity

1132. QUESTION: The Ponzo illusion illustrates that people judge the size of an object in terms of its perceived

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A. shape
B. height
C. distance
D. convergence

CORRECT ANSWER IS: distance

1133. QUESTION: In order to see with the dim illumination available from moonlight, you have to depend mostly on

A. your rods
B. your cones
C. the fovea
D. photonic vision

CORRECT ANSWER IS: your rods

1134. QUESTION: According to the opponent-process theory, cells that are stimulated by exposure to _____ light are inhibited by exposure to _____ light

A. green, red
B. yellow, red
C. green, blue
D. red, blue

CORRECT ANSWER IS: green, red

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1135. QUESTION: The Gestalt psychologists claimed that we are innately predisposed to

A. group sensory elements according to certain principles
B. analyze wholes into their individual features
C. use our expectations to figure out what we are seeing
D. look for the distinctive features of stimuli

CORRECT ANSWER IS: group sensory elements according to certain principles

1136. QUESTION: In the Ponzo illusion, most people _____ the length of the bar that appears to be more _____

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A. underestimate, distant
B. overestimate, distant
C. underestimate, horizontal
D. overestimate, horizontal

CORRECT ANSWER IS: overestimate, distant

1137. QUESTION: The receptors for hearing are located in

A. the inner ear
B. the outer ear
C. the middle ear
D. all parts of the ear

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the inner ear

1138. QUESTION: The Gestalt principles of proximity and continuity refer to ways in which we

A. adapt to perceptual changes
B. activate meaningful perceptual sets
C. decompose whole subjects into sensory stimuli
D. organize stimuli into coherent groups

CORRECT ANSWER IS: organize stimuli into coherent groups

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1139. QUESTION: Binocular disparity is a cue for depth because the perceptual system judges an object's distance from oneself primarily by the degree to which the two eyes

A. diverge when looking at the same object
B. differ in the sharpness of their image of the same object
C. see a different view of the same object
D. absorb different wavelengths of light from the same object

CORRECT ANSWER IS: see a different view of the same object

1140. QUESTION: What is found at the place where the optic nerve leaves the eye?

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A. the fovea
B. the blind spot
C. bipolar cells
D. the cornea

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the blind spot

1141. QUESTION: Which of the following is not one of the Gestalt principles of grouping?

A. proximity
B. similarity
C. contrast
D. closure

CORRECT ANSWER IS: contrast

1142. QUESTION: When there is a conflict between bits of information received by two or more senses, which sense tends to dominate the others?

A. hearing only
B. vision
C. smell
D. touch

CORRECT ANSWER IS: vision

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1143. QUESTION: The transduction of light energy into nerve impulses takes place in the

A. iris
B. retina
C. lens
D. optic nerve

CORRECT ANSWER IS: retina

1144. QUESTION: Because the two teams wore different-colored uniforms, Musa perceived the ten basketball players as two distinct groups. This illustrates the principle of

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A. proximity
B. color constancy
C. closure
D. similarity

CORRECT ANSWER IS: similarity

1145. QUESTION: Three-dimensional movies (such as Avatar) take advantage of which of the following to create the sense of depth?

A. binocular disparity
B. motion parallax
C. texture gradients
D. occlusion

CORRECT ANSWER IS: binocular disparity

1146. QUESTION: In the horizontal/vertical illusion, most people perceive a _____ line as a _____

A. horizontal, longer than an equally long vertical line
B. vertical, less distant than an equally distant horizontal line
C. horizontal, straighter than an equally straight vertical line
D. vertical, longer than an equally long horizontal line

CORRECT ANSWER IS: vertical, longer than an equally long horizontal line

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1147. QUESTION: Brightness is to light as _____ is to sound.

A. pitch
B. amplitude
C. frequency
D. loudness

CORRECT ANSWER IS: loudness

1148. QUESTION: The process in which your eyes adjust from darkness to bright light is called

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A. dark adaptation
B. light adaptation
C. coding of contrast
D. coding of light intensity patterns

CORRECT ANSWER IS: light adaptation

1149. QUESTION: Stimulus elements that are physically like one another tend to be grouped together, while those that are unlike one another are seen as parts of separate objects. This principle of grouping is called

A. good continuation
B. similarity
C. proximity
D. good form

CORRECT ANSWER IS: similarity

1150. QUESTION: Kinesthesis involves

A. the bones of the middle ear
B. membranes within cochlea
C. information from the muscles, tendons and joints
D. the body's sense of balance

CORRECT ANSWER IS: information from the muscles, tendons and joints

1151. QUESTION: The visual cliff is a laboratory device for testing _____ in infants

A. size constancy
B. depth perception
C. perceptual adaptation
D. figure-ground perception

CORRECT ANSWER IS: depth perception

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1152. QUESTION: As you walk through the environment, your view of nearby objects changes more rapidly than your views of objects farther away. This depth cue is attributable to

A. motion parallax, which can be seen with either eye alone
B. motion parallax, which depends on the ability to combine images from both eyes
C. binocular disparity, which depends on each eye seeing its own side of the object
D. binocular disparity, which depends on each eye seeing the same object from a different angle

CORRECT ANSWER IS: motion parallax, which can be seen with either eye alone

1153. QUESTION: Light and dark adaptation are mediated mainly by physiological processes that occur in the

A. retina
B. optic nerve
C. visual area of the thalamus
D. visual area of the cerebral cortex

CORRECT ANSWER IS: retina

1154. QUESTION: In the Poggendroff illusion involving a rectangular post with a line segment protruding from each side, most people fail to correctly align the two lines segments because they

A. underestimate the width of the rectangular post
B. overestimate the width of the rectangular post
C. underestimate the length of the two line segments
D. overestimate the length of the two line segments

CORRECT ANSWER IS: underestimate the width of the rectangular post

1155. QUESTION: Suppose we see an array of identical X's. The horizontal spacing between X's is close than the vertical spacing between X's, which causes us to see them in rows rather than columns. This illustrates the Gestalt principle of

A. proximity
B. closure
C. similarity
D. good form

CORRECT ANSWER IS: proximity

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1156. QUESTION: Which of the following explains why a rose appears equally red in bright and dim light?

A. the Young-Helmholtz theory
B. the opponent-process theory
C. feature detection
D. color constancy

CORRECT ANSWER IS: color constancy

1157. QUESTION: Retinal disparity refers to the

A. tendency to see parallel lines as coming together in the distance
B. somewhat different images our two eyes receive of the same object
C. tendency to see stimuli that are near each other as parts of a unified object
D. extent to which our eyes turn inward when looking at an object

CORRECT ANSWER IS: somewhat different images our two eyes receive of the same object

1158. QUESTION: Which of the following is true of the three types of cones in the human retina?

A. each has a different photochemical that makes it most sensitive to light within a particular range of wavelengths
B. blue cones respond only to blue, red cones only to red, and green cones only to green
C. each type of cone responds only to a narrow range of wavelengths
D. one type of cone is involved in color vision and the other two provide only black-and-white vision

CORRECT ANSWER IS: each has a different photochemical that makes it most sensitive to light within a particular range of wavelengths

1159. QUESTION: The vibrations of the eardrum are amplified by three tiny bones located in the

A. auditory canal
B. middle ear
C. cochlea
D. inner ear

CORRECT ANSWER IS: middle ear

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1160. QUESTION: The process by which sensory information is converted into neural energy is

A. sensory adaptation
B. feature detection
C. signal detection
D. transduction

CORRECT ANSWER IS: transduction

1161. QUESTION: When we stare at an object, each eye receives slightly different image, providing a depth cue known as

A. convergence
B. linear perspective
C. relative motion
D. retinal disparity

CORRECT ANSWER IS: retinal disparity

1162. QUESTION: Which of the following statements is consistent with the Gestalt theory of perception?

A. perception develops largely through learning
B. perception is the product of heredity
C. the mind organizes sensations into meaningful perceptions
D. perception results directly from sensation

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the mind organizes sensations into meaningful perceptions

1163. QUESTION: As her friend Moeen walks toward her, Nida perceives his size as remaining constant because his perceived distance _____ at the same time that her retinal image of him _____

A. increases, decreases
B. increases, increases
C. decreases, decreases
D. decreases, increases

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: decreases, increases

1164. QUESTION: Applying the principles related to sensory adaptation, the best way to get attention from an audience to whom you are speaking is to by

A. speak louder
B. whisper
C. speak faster
D. all of the above

CORRECT ANSWER IS: all of the above

1165. QUESTION: People who are color blind most likely have a problem with their

A. rods
B. fovea
C. iris
D. cones

CORRECT ANSWER IS: cones

1166. QUESTION: Which is the correct order of the structures through which light passes after entering the eye?

A. red-green, blue-yellow, black-white
B. red-blue, green-yellow, black-white
C. red-yellow, blue-green, black-white
D. dependent upon the individual's past experience

CORRECT ANSWER IS: red-green, blue-yellow, black-white

1167. QUESTION: Which of the following Gestalt principles would most readily explain camouflage?

A. similarity
B. figure-ground
C. continuity
D. proximity

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: figure-ground

1168. QUESTION: The phenomenon that refers to the ways in which an individual's expectations influence perception is called

A. perceptual set
B. retinal disparity
C. convergence
D. visual capture

CORRECT ANSWER IS: perceptual set

1169. QUESTION: As we move, viewed objects cast changing shapes on our retinas, although we do not perceive the objects as changing. This is part of the phenomenon of

A. perceptual consistency
B. relative motion
C. linear perspective
D. continuity

CORRECT ANSWER IS: perceptual consistency

1170. QUESTION: In the absence of perceptual constancy

A. objects would appear to change size as their distance from us changed
B. depth perception would be based exclusively on monocular cues
C. depth perception would be based exclusively on binocular cues
D. depth perception would be impossible

CORRECT ANSWER IS: objects would appear to change size as their distance from us changed

1171. QUESTION: The color of a light is related to the _____ of the light wave.

A. frequency
B. length
C. saturation
D. amplitude

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: length

1172. QUESTION: The amplitude of sound is measured in units called

A. frequencies
B. Hertz
C. wavelengths
D. decibels

CORRECT ANSWER IS: decibels

1173. QUESTION: Given normal sensory ability, a person can hear a watch ticking in a silent room from 20 feet away. This is a description of hearing's

A. different threshold
B. JND
C. absolute threshold
D. signal detection

CORRECT ANSWER IS: absolute threshold

1174. QUESTION: Psychologists who study ESP are called

A. clairvoyants
B. telepaths
C. parapsychologists
D. levitators

CORRECT ANSWER IS: parapsychologists

1175. QUESTION: Events that occur close together in space or time are generally perceived as belonging together. Gestalt psychologists refer to this as

A. proximity
B. closure
C. similarity

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D. continuity

CORRECT ANSWER IS: proximity

1176. QUESTION: Which of the following depth cues creates the impression of visual cliff?

A. interposition
B. relative height
C. linear perspective
D. texture gradient

CORRECT ANSWER IS: texture gradient

1177. QUESTION: An artist paints a tree orchard so that the parallel rows of trees converge at the top of the canvas. Which cue has the artist used to convey distance?

A. interposition
B. relative clarity
C. linear perspective
D. texture gradient

CORRECT ANSWER IS: linear perspective

1178. QUESTION: White light is produced by mixing

A. wave lengths
B. wave amplitudes
C. rods and cones
D. monochromatic lights

CORRECT ANSWER IS: wave lengths

1179. QUESTION: In shopping for a new stereo system, you discover that you cannot differentiate between the sounds of models X and Y. The difference between X and Y is below your

A. absolute threshold
B. signal detection

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C. receptor threshold
D. difference threshold

CORRECT ANSWER IS: difference threshold

1180. QUESTION: The depth cue that occurs when we watch stable objects at different distances as we are moving is

A. convergence
B. interposition
C. relative clarity
D. relative motion

CORRECT ANSWER IS: relative motion

1181. QUESTION: The actual receptor cells for hearing are contained in the

A. pinna
B. eardrum
C. cochlea
D. stapes

CORRECT ANSWER IS: cochlea

1182. QUESTION: Which of the following is not a monocular depth cue?

A. texture gradient
B. relative height
C. retinal disparity
D. relative clarity

CORRECT ANSWER IS: retinal disparity

1183. QUESTION: Objects higher in our field of vision are perceived as _____ due to the principle of

A. nearer, relative height
B. farther away, linear perspective
C. nearer, linear perspective

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D. farther away, relative height

CORRECT ANSWER IS: farther away, relative height

1184. QUESTION: The theory of color vision based on the idea that we possess three distinct receptor areas for the three primary colors of light is the

A. primary color theory
B. signal detection theory
C. opponent process theory
D. trichromatic theory

CORRECT ANSWER IS: trichromatic theory

1185. QUESTION: Each time you see your car, it projects a different image on the retina as of your eyes yet you do not perceive it as changing. This is because of

A. perceptual set
B. retinal disparity
C. perceptual constancy
D. convergence

CORRECT ANSWER IS: perceptual constancy

1186. QUESTION: In comparing the human eye to a camera, the film would be analogous to the eye's

A. pupil
B. lens
C. cornea
D. retina

CORRECT ANSWER IS: retina

1187. QUESTION: We are able to experience 3-D movies because of the perceptual phenomenon of

A. convergence
B. accommodation

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C. similarity
D. retinal disparity

CORRECT ANSWER IS: retinal disparity

1188. QUESTION: According to the principle of relative brightness, if one of two identical objects reflects more light to your eyes it will be perceived as

A. larger
B. smaller
C. nearer
D. farther away

CORRECT ANSWER IS: nearer

1189. QUESTION: Motion sickness is the result of a disturbance of the _____ sense

A. kinesthetic
B. vestibular
C. visual
D. coetaneous

CORRECT ANSWER IS: vestibular

1190. QUESTION: The moon illusion occurs in part because distance cues at the horizon make the moon seem

A. farther away therefore larger
B. closer therefore larger
C. closer therefore smaller
D. farther away therefore smaller

CORRECT ANSWER IS: farther away therefore larger

1191. QUESTION: This is not a law of perceptual organization

A. proximity
B. closure

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C. continuity
D. simplicity

CORRECT ANSWER IS: simplicity

1192. QUESTION: There is no vision in the blind spot because

A. the cornea is too curved to reflect light at that point
B. of disease in the cornea
C. there are no rods and cones there
D. the optic nerve is not connected there

CORRECT ANSWER IS: there are no rods and cones there

1193. QUESTION: You are standing in the middle of way, as you look far ahead, the tracks seem to come together in the distance. That illustrates

A. linear perspective
B. interposition
C. similarity
D. convergence

CORRECT ANSWER IS: linear perspective

1194. QUESTION: Which is the correct order of the structures through which sound travels after entering the ear?

A. auditory canal, eardrum, middle ear, cochlea
B. eardrum, auditory canal, middle ear, cochlea
C. eardrum, cochlea, auditory canal, middle ear
D. cochlea, eardrum, auditory canal, middle ear

CORRECT ANSWER IS: auditory canal, eardrum, middle ear, cochlea

1195. QUESTION: A researcher in psychophysics would be most likely to study

A. perceptual nature in the elderly
B. cognitive aspects of perception

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C. perceptual variables related to artistic ability
D. sensory thresholds in color-blind subjects

CORRECT ANSWER IS: sensory thresholds in color-blind subjects

1196. QUESTION: The gate-control theory of pain proposes that pain actually occurs

A. at the receptor cite
B. only in the external receptors
C. in the brain
D. only under intense stimulus levels

CORRECT ANSWER IS: in the brain

1197. QUESTION: Figure is to ground as _____ is to _____

A. night, day
B. top, bottom
C. cloud, sky
D. sensation, perception

CORRECT ANSWER IS: cloud, sky

1198. QUESTION: Which of the following pictorial cues first came to the attention of Max Wertheimer during a train ride?

A. relative size
B. motive parallax
C. patterns of shading
D. texture gradient

CORRECT ANSWER IS: motive parallax

1199. QUESTION: Although carpenter perceived a briefly viewed object as a screwdriver, police officer perceived the same object as a knife. This illustrates that perception is guided by

A. linear perspective

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B. shape constancy
C. retinal disparity
D. perceptual set

CORRECT ANSWER IS: perceptual set

1200. QUESTION: The part of the eye where vision is more acute is the

A. fovea
B. iris
C. cornea
D. retina

CORRECT ANSWER IS: fovea

1201. QUESTION: Musa hears the so-called "silent" alarm that is present in many institutional buildings. Most people do not hear the frequency pitch. It would be most accurate to say that in regard to hearing, Musa's absolute threshold is

A. lower than that of most people
B. higher than that of most people
C. about the same except for certain frequencies
D. not functioning appropriately

CORRECT ANSWER IS: lower than that of most people

1202. QUESTION: After staring at a very intense red stimulus for a few minutes, Sabeen shifted her gaze to a beige wall and "saw" the color _____. Sabeen's experience provides support for the _____ theory.

A. green, trichromatic
B. blue, opponent-process
C. green, opponent-process
D. blue, trichromatic

CORRECT ANSWER IS: green, opponent-process

1203. QUESTION: Bold words in a textbook is an example of

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A. a stimulus factor in perception
B. a personal factor in perception
C. a stimulus factor in motivation
D. a Gestalt principle of perception

CORRECT ANSWER IS: a stimulus factor in perception

1204. QUESTION: You walk into a dark movie theater wearing a white shirt, and notice that the shirt now looks gray. However, you know that the shirt is still white because of

A. size constancy
B. brightness constancy
C. linear perspective
D. texture gradient

CORRECT ANSWER IS: brightness constancy

1205. QUESTION: The study of perception is primarily concerned with how we

A. detects slights, sound and other stimuli
B. sense environmental stimuli
C. interpret sensory stimuli
D. develop sensitivity to illusions

CORRECT ANSWER IS: interpret sensory stimuli

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1206. QUESTION: You have just been presented with a, 1000-cycle-per second tone. As the frequency is slowly increased, you are instructed to tell the experimenter when you notice a difference in pitch. At 1050 cycle-per second you report noticing a difference. The 50 cycle-per seconds is your

A. absolute threshold
B. differential threshold
C. minimum threshold
D. criterion threshold

CORRECT ANSWER IS: differential threshold

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1207. QUESTION: Saad works in a hospital, however, he is no longer aware of the offensive smell in the hospital. The best explanation for this is

A. subliminal perception
B. signal detection theory
C. sensory adaptation
D. difference threshold

CORRECT ANSWER IS: sensory adaptation

1208. QUESTION: When two familiar objects of equal size cast unequal retinal images, the object that casts the smaller retinal image will be perceived as being

A. closer than the other object
B. larger than the other object
C. more distant than the other object
D. smaller than the other object

CORRECT ANSWER IS: more distant than the other object

1209. QUESTION: Kim is trying to thread a needle, but the light is fairly dim. Due to the lack of light, the part of her eye that will help most in threading the needle is

A. cones
B. rods
C. lens
D. cornea

CORRECT ANSWER IS: rods

1210. QUESTION: The historical movement associated with the statement, "The whole is greater than the sum of its parts" is

A. parapsychology
B. behavioral psychology
C. functional psychology
D. Gestalt psychology

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: Gestalt psychology

1211. QUESTION: Which of the following is not a personal factor in perceptual selectivity?

A. motivation
B. past experience
C. size
D. expectation

CORRECT ANSWER IS: size

1212. QUESTION: The tendency to organize stimuli into smooth, uninterrupted patterns is called

A. closure
B. continuity
C. similarity
D. proximity

CORRECT ANSWER IS: continuity

1213. QUESTION: In order for a stimulus to be experienced, its intensity must be

A. above absolute threshold
B. below absolute threshold
C. adapted by our senses
D. available in the environment

CORRECT ANSWER IS: above absolute threshold

1214. QUESTION: Figures tend to be perceived as whole, complete objects, even if spaces or gaps exist in the representation, thus demonstrating the principle of

A. connectedness
B. similarity
C. continuity
D. closure

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: closure

1215. QUESTION: If you slowly bring your finger toward your face until it eventually touches your nose, eye-muscle cues called _____ convey depth information to your brain.

A. retinal disparity
B. interposition
C. continuity
D. convergence

CORRECT ANSWER IS: convergence

1216. QUESTION: The phenomenon of negative afterimages lends support to the

A. trichromatic color theory
B. opponent-process theory
C. existence of the blind spot
D. concept of color blindness

CORRECT ANSWER IS: opponent-process theory

1217. QUESTION: Which of the following is a monocular depth cue?

A. relative size
B. convergence
C. retinal disparity
D. all of the above

CORRECT ANSWER IS: relative size

1218. QUESTION: Psychological preparedness to perceive something in a given way is known as

A. mental expectation
B. perceptual set
C. mental set
D. selective expectation

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: mental set

1219. QUESTION: The figure-ground relationship has demonstrated that

A. perception is largely innate
B. perception is somewhat innate
C. the same stimulus can trigger more than one perception
D. different people see different things when viewing a scene

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the same stimulus can trigger more than one perception

1220. QUESTION: If the olfactory sense were eliminated, a blindfolded person tasting a peeled apple and a peeled raw potato would most likely:

A. experience the same tastes as usual
B. be unable to distinguish between the taste of the apple and the taste of the potato
C. taste the potato as more bitter than usual
D. taste the potato as sweeter than usual

CORRECT ANSWER IS: be unable to distinguish between the taste of the apple and the taste of the potato

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1221. QUESTION: As stimulus patterns become increasingly similar, reaction times based on stimulus discrimination

A. become shorter
B. remain unchanged
C. become longer
D. become shorter for auditory stimuli, longer for visual ones

CORRECT ANSWER IS:

1222. QUESTION: The basilar membrane plays an important role in

A. vision
B. hearing
C. olfaction
D. taste

CORRECT ANSWER IS: hearing

1223. QUESTION: Both bats and marine mammals use which of the following to perceive their environments?

A. infrasound
B. delta waves
C. stereo-taxis
D. echolocation

CORRECT ANSWER IS: echolocation

1224. QUESTION: The primaries in subtractive color mixing are

A. blue, yellow, red
B. blue, green, red
C. green, orange, red
D. green, yellow, red

CORRECT ANSWER IS: blue, yellow, red

1225. QUESTION: The opponent process theory of color vision

A. proposed that there are three types of receptors in the eye
B. states that there are two kinds of receptors in the eye
C. explains color vision as the process of mixing the light of different colors
D. contradicted psychophysics theory about the perception of color thresholds

CORRECT ANSWER IS: states that there are two kinds of receptors in the eye

1226. QUESTION: The law of effect first formulated by

A. John Garcia
B. B. F. Skinner
C. Edward Thorndike
D. Edward Tolman

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Edward Thorndike

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1227. QUESTION: Kohler's experiments with chimpanzees demonstrate that chimps are capable of which type of learning?

A. oral-trial learning
B. insight learning
C. trial-and-error learning
D. state-dependent learning

CORRECT ANSWER IS: insight learning

1228. QUESTION: Research into television violence effects upon children makes frequent reference to the classic work of

A. Milgram
B. Sherif
C. Bandura
D. Asch

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Bandura

1229. QUESTION: Correctional institutions are finding which one of the following to be the most effective rehabilitative device?

A. punishment
B. isolation
C. positive reinforcement
D. negative reinforcement

CORRECT ANSWER IS: positive reinforcement

1230. QUESTION: The repeated presentation of the CS without the UCS results in

A. spontaneous recovery
B. inhibition
C. extinction
D. higher-order conditioning

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: extinction

1231. QUESTION: According to John B. Watson, complex learning was considered to be

A. simultaneous conditioning of responses
B. the chaining of conditioning reflexes
C. simultaneous conditioning of responses
D. second-order conditioning of behavior

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the chaining of conditioning reflexes

1232. QUESTION: According to research in observable learning, which of the following statements is most accurate?

A. a child will tend to display similar aggressive behavior after observing an adult hitting a doll
B. it is not necessary to limit the amount of time school-age children spend watching television
C. children imitate only behavior displayed by their parents
D. the development of social behavior in preschool children is derived primarily from innate tendencies

CORRECT ANSWER IS: a child will tend to display similar aggressive behavior after observing an adult hitting a doll

1233. QUESTION: Lorenz has suggested that

A. phonemes are the key factors in child language development
B. language determines thought processes
C. duck imprinting cannot be replicated in humans
D. the general notion of imprinting is not supported by experimental evidence

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the general notion of imprinting is not supported by experimental evidence

1234. QUESTION: The technology of biofeedback is based on the principle of

A. backward conditioning
B. punishment
C. positive reinforcement
D. negative reinforcement

CORRECT ANSWER IS: positive reinforcement

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1235. QUESTION: Studying to avoid bad grade is an example of

A. positive reinforcement
B. negative reinforcement
C. punishment
D. escape

CORRECT ANSWER IS: negative reinforcement

1236. QUESTION: Social learning theory was first proposed by

A. B. F. Skinner
B. Bandura and Walters
C. Miller and Dollard
D. J. B. Watson

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Miller and Dollard

1237. QUESTION: When pilots must learn to fly a new type of passenger plane, their transfer to the new set of controls is facilitated most when the new panel

A. is similar to but has subtle functional differences from the old panel
B. is distinctly different from the old panel in all respects
C. is an exact right-left reverse of the previous panel
D. looks identical but has some functions that are the exact reverse of what they were in the previous setting

CORRECT ANSWER IS: is distinctly different from the old panel in all respects

1238. QUESTION: Which of the following psychologists studied the tool use of apes?

A. Tolman
B. Wundt
C. Watson
D. Kohler

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Kohler

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1239. QUESTION: If a teacher wanted to gets an extremely shy student to participate in class events using shaping she might:

A. only reinforce the student for speaking up
B. initially reinforce the student each time he looked up from his desk
C. write a note to the child's parents
D. utilize a time-out procedure

CORRECT ANSWER IS: initially reinforce the student each time he looked up from his desk

1240. QUESTION: Punishment is most effective as an aid to learning when used

A. at the beginning of a series of trials
B. at the end of a series of trials
C. to extinguish previously rewarded responses
D. in the middle of a series of trials

CORRECT ANSWER IS: at the beginning of a series of trials

1241. QUESTION: Which of the following leads to a decrease in the likelihood of a behavior occurring in the future?

A. shaping
B. omission training
C. positive reinforcement
D. continuous reinforcement

CORRECT ANSWER IS: omission training

1242. QUESTION: This does not increase the probability of a particular response occurring

A. positive reinforcement
B. negative reinforcement
C. shaping
D. punishment

CORRECT ANSWER IS: punishment

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1243. QUESTION: A primary difference between escape and avoidance conditioning is that

A. in escape conditioning, the aversive stimulus is always received by the subject
B. in escape conditioning, the aversive stimulus is not received by the subject
C. in escape conditioning, successive approximation is used
D. in escape conditioning, successive approximation is not used

CORRECT ANSWER IS: in escape conditioning, the aversive stimulus is always received by the subject

1244. QUESTION: The Law of Effect is concerned with the effects of

A. hormones in behavior
B. activity states on behavior
C. internal drive states on behavior
D. rewards and punishment on behavior

CORRECT ANSWER IS: rewards and punishment on behavior

1245. QUESTION: Trial and error learning consists of

A. trying, failing varying procedure
B. failing repeatedly
C. attaining success without the learner seeing what the condition of successor
D. none of these

CORRECT ANSWER IS: trying, failing varying procedure

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1246. QUESTION: Which of the following types of learning cannot be directly observed?

A. operant conditioning
B. response learning
C. verbal learning
D. perceptual learning

CORRECT ANSWER IS: perceptual learning

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1247. QUESTION: _____ involves observing and imitating the behavior of others

A. shaping
B. modeling
C. observing
D. praising

CORRECT ANSWER IS: modeling

1248. QUESTION: Every time an alarm clock rings, the subject is hit in the eye with a puff of air from a blow dryer. This causes the subject to blink. After a while, the subject blinds her eyes as soon as the alarm clock rings. The eye blink that is caused by the blow dryer is called

A. the conditioned stimulus
B. the unconditioned response
C. the unconditioned stimulus
D. the conditioned response

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the unconditioned response

1249. QUESTION: Another name for operant conditioning is

A. social learning
B. latent conditioning
C. instrumental conditioning
D. instinctive conditioning

CORRECT ANSWER IS: instrumental conditioning

1250. QUESTION: One effect of anxiety on learning is

A. the removal of mental blocks
B. a reduction in performance on difficult tasks
C. a reduction in the ability to discriminate clearly
D. more interference with familiar material than with new material

CORRECT ANSWER IS: a reduction in performance on difficult tasks

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1251. QUESTION: Guthrie is most closely associated with which of the following in learning theory?

A. reinforcement
B. habit strength
C. contiguity of S and R
D. S-R connection

CORRECT ANSWER IS: contiguity of S and R

1252. QUESTION: Responding to a conditioned stimulus in order to avoid electric shock is an example of

A. avoidance conditioning
B. punishment
C. escape conditioning
D. successive approximation

CORRECT ANSWER IS: avoidance conditioning

1253. QUESTION: Putting animals in puzzle boxes to study their intelligence was initially undertaken by

A. Skinner
B. Pavlov
C. Atkinson
D. Thorndike

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Thorndike

1254. QUESTION: Imprinting is the phenomenon describing

A. visual memory coding in the brain
B. the neural effect of light on the retina
C. Jung's theory of collective unconscious symbols in the mind
D. how the young of many species follow whatever conspicuous object that is first presented to them

CORRECT ANSWER IS: how the young of many species follow whatever conspicuous object that is first presented to them

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1255. QUESTION: The type of learning that is unique for human is

A. verbal learning
B. operant conditioning
C. classical conditioning
D. motor task learning

CORRECT ANSWER IS: verbal learning

1256. QUESTION: You had a car crash, now all cars scare you, it is called

A. extinction
B. discrimination
C. secondary reinforcement
D. generalization

CORRECT ANSWER IS: generalization

1257. QUESTION: A little girl with an IQ of 100 would have a mental age that is

A. slightly lower than her chronological age
B. much higher than her chronological age
C. equal to her chronological age
D. slightly higher than her chronological age

CORRECT ANSWER IS: equal to her chronological age

1258. QUESTION: The definitional concept of negative reinforcement is most central to which of the following?

A. sitting on a chair following a spanking
B. not receiving the praise expected
C. walking barefoot from hot sand onto cool grass
D. running immediately upon hearing the sound of the school bell

CORRECT ANSWER IS: walking barefoot from hot sand onto cool grass

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1259. QUESTION: Ivan Pavlov is famous for

A. the discovery of the principles of operant conditioning
B. his theories on child development
C. discovering the mechanisms underlying conditioned reflexes
D. proving that animals can learn language

CORRECT ANSWER IS: discovering the mechanisms underlying conditioned reflexes

1260. QUESTION: Under which of the following reinforcement schedules is it most important for an organism to learn to estimate time accurately?

A. fixed ratio
B. variable interval
C. variable ratio
D. fixed interval

CORRECT ANSWER IS: fixed interval

1261. QUESTION: Another phrase which might be used to describe the concept of instinctive behavior is

A. innate fixed-action pattern
B. stimulus releaser
C. internal precipitator
D. both a and c

CORRECT ANSWER IS: both a and c

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1262. QUESTION: This is not an important factor in the acquisition of motor skills

A. feedback
B. repetition
C. distribution of practice
D. reflex action

CORRECT ANSWER IS: reflex action

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1263. QUESTION: Bandura's developmental research

A. seriously questions the validity of modeling
B. suggest that observation of aggressive models can prompt aggressive behavior by the observer
C. suggests that love is a function of "contact comfort"
D. points to the effectiveness of reinforcement in toilet training

CORRECT ANSWER IS: suggest that observation of aggressive models can prompt aggressive behavior by the observer

1264. QUESTION: An electric shook administered to the paw of a cat will elicit foot withdrawal. Before the shocks are administered, a green light is flasheD. Eventually, the green light elicits foot withdrawal. The green light would be labeled

A. the unconditioned response
B. the conditioned response
C. the unconditioned stimulus
D. the conditioned stimulus

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the conditioned stimulus

1265. QUESTION: In negative reinforcement

A. an aversive stimulus is administered
B. a pleasing stimulus is removed
C. response learning is faster than escape training
D. an aversive stimulus is removed

CORRECT ANSWER IS: an aversive stimulus is removed

1266. QUESTION: The cornerstone of behaviorism is the Law of Effect which states that behavior that is followed by a positive outcome will occur more often in the future. The person who formulated the law after doing research with cats and puzzle boxes was

A. Harry Harlow
B. Edward Thorndike
C. B. F. Skinner
D. John Watson

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: Edward Thorndike

1267. QUESTION: Partial reinforcement

A. enhances classical conditioning speed and efficiency
B. interferes with classical conditioning
C. interferes with the maintenance of an operant conditioned response
D. is never used in operant conditioning

CORRECT ANSWER IS: interferes with classical conditioning

1268. QUESTION: A grown man's fear of dogs developed after having been bitten by neighbor's dog when he was a chilD. This is an example of

A. forward conditioning
B. backward conditioning
C. stimulus generalization
D. negative reinforcement

CORRECT ANSWER IS: stimulus generalization

1269. QUESTION: Which of the following would be true of instrumental conditioning?

A. there is trace presentation of CS and UCS
B. there is delayed presentation of CS and UCS
C. there is simultaneous presentation of CS and UCS
D. reinforcement increases the frequency of the response associated with it

CORRECT ANSWER IS: reinforcement increases the frequency of the response associated with it

1270. QUESTION: In which form of conditioning is the conditioned stimulus (CS) presented after the unconditioned stimulus (UCS)

A. higher order conditioning
B. forward conditioning
C. backward conditioning

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D. second order conditioning

CORRECT ANSWER IS: backward conditioning

1271. QUESTION: According to Wolfgang Kohler, when one of his chimps fastened two sticks together to reach a bunch of bananas, it was showing an evidence of

A. trial-and-error learning
B. a fixed-action pattern
C. instinctual drift
D. insight

CORRECT ANSWER IS: insight

1272. QUESTION: Within the framework of classical conditioning, which one of the following is an example of a conditioned response?

A. paying for a meal with a credit card
B. a dog responding to verbal commands
C. experiencing fear when the telephone rings at 3:00 AM
D. practicing your tennis serve

CORRECT ANSWER IS: experiencing fear when the telephone rings at 3:00 AM

1273. QUESTION: Continued improvement in the absence of further practice is known as

A. spontaneous recovery
B. platikurtic
C. reminiscence
D. recall

CORRECT ANSWER IS: reminiscence

1274. QUESTION: The law of Effect suggests that

A. practice alone procedures learning
B. in addition to reinforcement there must be reward

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C. in addition to practice there must be reinforcement
D. Skinner's view has been superseded by Hull's

CORRECT ANSWER IS: in addition to practice there must be reinforcement

1275. QUESTION: In the technique of shaping behavior, which of the following is used?

A. positive reinforcement
B. neutral acknowledgment
C. negative reinforcement
D. differential reinforcement

CORRECT ANSWER IS: differential reinforcement

1276. QUESTION: Which of the following would be considered associative - rather than cognitive - learning?

A. anxiety when encountering a dangerous situation
B. reading a detailed, intricate novel
C. writing a letter
D. solving a complex maze task

CORRECT ANSWER IS: anxiety when encountering a dangerous situation

1277. QUESTION: In our society, money is an example of a

A. primary reinforce
B. secondary reinforce
C. negative reinforce
D. simple operant

CORRECT ANSWER IS: secondary reinforce

1278. QUESTION: The law of Effect suggests that

A. practice procedures learning
B. there must be practice and purpose for learning
C. reinforcement affects behavior

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D. neither practice nor reward are important to learning

CORRECT ANSWER IS: reinforcement affects behavior

1279. QUESTION: Which one of the following is based on the principles of classical conditioning?

A. token economies
B. differential reinforcement
C. contingency management
D. systematic decentralization

CORRECT ANSWER IS: systematic decentralization

1280. QUESTION: Running indoors when it starts raining is an example of

A. positive reinforcement
B. escape
C. punishment
D. a primary reinforce

CORRECT ANSWER IS: escape

1281. QUESTION: When a light paired with a bell takes on reinforcing characteristics, the phenomenon is called

A. third-order conditioning
B. anomalous conditioning
C. distinctive conditioning
D. higher-order conditioning

CORRECT ANSWER IS: higher-order conditioning

1282. QUESTION: A child who wins a game and gains peer approval is receiving

A. primary reinforcement
B. secondary reinforcement
C. social reinforcement
D. both b and c

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: both b and c

1283. QUESTION: Learning how to learn is essentially a process of

A. establishing learning sets
B. operant conditioning
C. stimulus generalization
D. non-reversal shift

CORRECT ANSWER IS: establishing learning sets

1284. QUESTION: For classical conditioning, it is essential that

A. the subject be informed of desired outcome in advance
B. the UCS be inherently rewarding
C. the UCS be originally neutral
D. the CS be originally neutral

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the CS be originally neutral

1285. QUESTION: Similarity is to difference as generalization is to

A. choices
B. discrimination
C. detectability
D. distinction

CORRECT ANSWER IS: discrimination

1286. QUESTION: Which of the following leads to the quickest and easiest learning of the conditioned response (CR)?

A. forward conditioning
B. simultaneous conditioning
C. trace conditioning
D. delay conditioning

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: simultaneous conditioning

1287. QUESTION: A child's parents only allow her to play video games after she has completed all of her homework for that night. This reward system is consistent with

A. the Premack principle
B. the Garcia effect
C. observational learning
D. systematic decentralization

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the Premack principle

1288. QUESTION: In Pavlov's classic experiment, a dog hears the sound of a bell and then is given food powder. After a few trials, the dog salivates to both the bell and the food powder. This conditioned response is _____ while the unconditioned response is

A. the bell, salivation
B. salivation, salivation
C. the bell, the food
D. salivation, the bell

CORRECT ANSWER IS: salivation, salivation

1289. QUESTION: Another name for the successive method of approximation is

A. reinforcement
B. shaping
C. fixed reinforcement
D. chaining

CORRECT ANSWER IS: shaping

1290. QUESTION: Saad receives a salary at the end of each month. His reinforcement schedule is

A. variable interval
B. fixed interval
C. variable ratio

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D. fixed ratio

CORRECT ANSWER IS: fixed interval

1291. QUESTION: Expectancy X Value = Performance is the symbolic representation of which theorist?

A. Hull
B. E. Tolman
C. D. McClelland
D. N. Miller

CORRECT ANSWER IS: E. Tolman

1292. QUESTION: In Mowrer's two factor theory, avoidance responses continue when no shock is presented because

A. functional autonomy is operating
B. fear is reduced by cessation of the CS
C. fear is reduced by cessation of the UCS
D. higher-order conditioning has occurred

CORRECT ANSWER IS: fear is reduced by cessation of the CS

1293. QUESTION: In which of the following situations would the most classical conditioning be expected?

A. UCS preceding CS by one-half second
B. UCS preceding CS by two seconds
C. CS preceding UCS by one-half second
D. CS preceding UCS by five second

CORRECT ANSWER IS: CS preceding UCS by one-half second

1294. QUESTION: The routine of replacing one habit with another, rather than simply extinguishing a habit, is called

A. counter-conditioning
B. discrimination
C. higher-order conditioning
D. stimulus control

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: counter-conditioning

1295. QUESTION: Albert Bandura claimed that individuals can learn new behavior by observing other people's behavior being reinforceD. He referred to this phenomenon as

A. social loafing
B. vicarious reinforcement
C. symptom substitution
D. functional autonomy

CORRECT ANSWER IS: vicarious reinforcement

1296. QUESTION: Which of the following behavior theorists proposed that behavior may be controlled by internal, symbolic processes?

A. Bandura
B. Watson
C. Skinner
D. Thorndike

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Bandura

1297. QUESTION: The reinforcement schedule that produces the highest rates of performance is a

A. fixed-interval schedule
B. variable-interval schedule
C. fixed-ration schedule
D. variable-ratio schedule

CORRECT ANSWER IS: variable-ratio schedule

1298. QUESTION: The gambler's disease is a striking and devastating result of

A. variable interval
B. fixed interval
C. variable ratio

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D. fixed ratio

CORRECT ANSWER IS: variable ratio

1299. QUESTION: A rat in a Skinner box has learned that pressing a lever will produce food pellets, but only if the light above the lever is on. The animal consistently presses the lever when the light is on. When it is turned off, the rat immediately walks away from the lever until the light is turned on again. The rat's behavior is an example of

A. generalization
B. a fear of the dark phobia
C. a discrimination
D. classical conditioning

CORRECT ANSWER IS: a discrimination

1300. QUESTION: The field theorist emphasizes the role of learning in

A. S - R associations
B. drive reduction
C. cognitive processes
D. sensory processes

CORRECT ANSWER IS: cognitive processes

1301. QUESTION: Many time, previous learning can influence learning in new situations. This phenomenon is known as

A. cognitive learning
B. coherence
C. transfer of training
D. secondary feedback

CORRECT ANSWER IS: transfer of training

1302. QUESTION: The statement that is not true of imprinting is

A. it takes place only between members of the same species
B. prenatal perception appears to play a role in some imprinting

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C. it has been theorized to be a factor causing aggression in humans
D. more than two siblings may imprint to a mother at the same time

CORRECT ANSWER IS: it takes place only between members of the same species

1303. QUESTION: Slot machine are an example of which type of reinforcement schedule?

A. fixed -interval
B. variable-ratio
C. fixed-ratio
D. variable-interval

CORRECT ANSWER IS: variable-ratio

1304. QUESTION: The first systematic study of operant conditioning was performed in 1938 by

A. E. L. Thorndike
B. B. F. Skinner
C. A. Bandura
D. I. Pavlov

CORRECT ANSWER IS: B. F. Skinner

1305. QUESTION: According to certain learning theories, introduction of a rest interval after massed practice of a motor skill will most likely produce

A. spontaneous recovery
B. reminiscence
C. proactive inhibition
D. retroactive inhibition

CORRECT ANSWER IS: reminiscence

1306. QUESTION: Classical conditioning is to instrumental conditioning as _____ is to _____

A. Type R, Type S
B. Type S, respondent

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C. Type R, operant
D. respondent, operant

CORRECT ANSWER IS: respondent, operant

1307. QUESTION: You have learned to type and with experience you have reached your peak speeD. No matter how much typing you do, you speed will not increase. In learning curve terms you have reached

A. plateau
B. reminiscence
C. extinction
D. asymptote

CORRECT ANSWER IS: asymptote

1308. QUESTION: The term most closely associated with the work of Tolman is

A. perceptual learning
B. sensory preconditioning
C. place learning
D. contiguity learning

CORRECT ANSWER IS: place learning

1309. QUESTION: Beyond Freedom of Dignity, a book which deals with the philosophical issues of operant conditioning, was written by

A. John B. Watson
B. E. L. Thorndike
C. A. Bandura
D. B. F. Skinner

CORRECT ANSWER IS: B. F. Skinner

1310. QUESTION: If a dog's owner wanted to teach the dog to catch a ball using shaping he might

A. scold the dog each time it did not chase the ball

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B. only give the dog a reinforce when it successfully caught the ball
C. initially reinforce the dog each time it picked up or sniffed the ball
D. pair the sight of the ball with an unconditioned stimulus

CORRECT ANSWER IS: initially reinforce the dog each time it picked up or sniffed the ball

1311. QUESTION: The reinforcement schedule that yields the lowest performance is the

A. fixed-ration schedule
B. variable-interval schedule
C. fixed-interval schedule
D. verbal-interval-schedule

CORRECT ANSWER IS: fixed-interval schedule

1312. QUESTION: A continuity theory of learning suggests that learning

A. is on an all-or-nothing basis
B. in a sudden
C. is a gradual process
D. continues throughout one's life

CORRECT ANSWER IS: is a gradual process

1313. QUESTION: Mowrer and Solomon developed what theory to explain the interaction of classical and instrumental learning?

A. stimulus-response theory
B. opponent-process theory
C. two-process theory
D. meditational theory

CORRECT ANSWER IS: two-process theory

1314. QUESTION: Which of the following is an accurate learning acquisition sequence?

A. drive, cue, response, reinforcement

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B. cue, drive, response, reinforcement
C. response, drive, cue, reinforcement
D. drive, response, cue, reinforcement

CORRECT ANSWER IS: drive, cue, response, reinforcement

1315. QUESTION: The pursuit rotor is used in many studies involving

A. intelligence
B. memory
C. motor learning
D. mechanical aptitude

CORRECT ANSWER IS: motor learning

1316. QUESTION: A rat is trained to run through a maze for fooD. After several days, extinction is begun by removing the fooD. Eventually, the rat quits running. After a delay of several days, the rat is again placed in the maze (without food) and it runs through the maze again for a while. What is this process called?

A. partial extinction
B. renewed response recovery
C. spontaneous recovery
D. generalization

CORRECT ANSWER IS: spontaneous recovery

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1317. QUESTION: A fixed-action pattern differs from a conditioned response in that

A. fixed-action patterns are triggered by a conditioned stimulus
B. fixed-action patterns are triggered by releasing stimuli
C. fixed-action patterns are always aggressive
D. fixed-action patterns are easier to extinguish

CORRECT ANSWER IS: fixed-action patterns are triggered by releasing stimuli

1318. QUESTION: In studies on learned helplessness, previous exposure to uncontrollable, aversive events results in

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A. little or no learning on a subsequent task in which control is possible
B. a moderate level of learning on a subsequent task in which control is possible
C. a high level of learning on a subsequent task in which control is possible
D. sophisticated avoidance skills

CORRECT ANSWER IS: little or no learning on a subsequent task in which control is possible

1319. QUESTION: Animal intelligence was a major work written by

A. Hull
B. Thorndike
C. Skinner
D. Watson

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Thorndike

1320. QUESTION: If a person stops practicing a skill, takes a rest, and begins again, he will usually perform better than he did during the first practice perioD. This is due to a phenomenon called

A. secondary feedback
B. transfer of training
C. reminiscence
D. distribution of practice

CORRECT ANSWER IS: reminiscence

1321. QUESTION: He walked across a field and a string of tiny goslings followed him. The researcher was _____ and the demonstrated phenomenon was ____

A. Harlow, contact comfort
B. Lorenz, imprinting
C. Gesell, physical bonding
D. Skinner, behavior modification

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Lorenz, imprinting

1322. QUESTION: The S-shaped curve indicates

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A. prior familiarity with the task
B. greatest amount of improvement during the last few trials
C. the representation of the entire learning process
D. greatest amount of improvement in the first few trials

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the representation of the entire learning process

1323. QUESTION: According to Bandura and Walters, all of the following processes are involved in observational learning except

A. attention process
B. motivation process
C. reproduction process
D. chaining process

CORRECT ANSWER IS: chaining process

1324. QUESTION: In Bandura's experimental work with children, he has demonstrated that

A. imitation learning occurs through observation
B. mimicking occurs through reinforcement
C. toilet training occurs through modeling
D. aggression does not appear to be learned

CORRECT ANSWER IS: imitation learning occurs through observation

1325. QUESTION: A dog that had been conditioned to scratch behind its ears by rubbing against a rough surface suddenly returns to scratching behind its ears with its paw. This is an example of

A. spontaneous recovery
B. instinctual drift
C. homeostasis
D. first-order conditioning

CORRECT ANSWER IS: instinctual drift

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1326. QUESTION: What is the key distinction between classical conditioning and operant conditioning?

A. operant conditioning attempts to pair an unrelated stimulus and response, whereas classical conditioning attempts to extinguish such pairings
B. operant conditioning focuses on rewards, whereas classical conditioning focuses on punishment
C. operant conditioning attempts to pair an unrelated stimulus and response, whereas classical conditioning underscores the consequences of behavior
D. operant conditioning emphasizes the consequences of behavior, whereas classical conditioning emphasizes the association between stimuli

CORRECT ANSWER IS: operant conditioning emphasizes the consequences of behavior, whereas classical conditioning emphasizes the association between stimuli

1327. QUESTION: When new acquisitions improve retention of the old, we speak of

A. positive transfer
B. negative transfer
C. reproductive facilitation
D. reproductive interference

CORRECT ANSWER IS: reproductive facilitation

1328. QUESTION: A child's fear at the sight of a doctor is a/an

A. conditioned response
B. unconditioned stimulus
C. unconditioned response
D. conditioned stimulus

CORRECT ANSWER IS: conditioned response

1329. QUESTION: Resistance to extinction is most strongly encouraged by _____ reinforcement

A. delayed
B. negative
C. secondary
D. partial

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: partial

1330. QUESTION: A mother boiled water in a whistling kettle to heat her baby's bottle. Eventually the baby gets excited whenever she hears a similar whistle. In the classical conditioning model, the baby's response to the whistle is

A. an unconditioned response
B. a conditioned response
C. a chained response
D. an operant response

CORRECT ANSWER IS: a conditioned response

1331. QUESTION: Suppose that, after an animal has been classically conditioned to salivate to a tone, a flash of light is paired with the tone. After several trials, the animal came to salivate to the light. What was happened?

A. higher order conditioning
B. shaping
C. observational learning
D. spontaneous recovery

CORRECT ANSWER IS: observational learning

1332. QUESTION: If a bell causes a dog to salivate because it has regularly been associated with the presentation of food, the bell is called a/an

A. conditioned response
B. unconditioned stimulus
C. unconditioned response
D. conditioned stimulus

CORRECT ANSWER IS: conditioned stimulus

1333. QUESTION: The procedure in which only a portion of correct responses are reinforced is called

A. partial reinforcement
B. observational learning
C. extinction

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D. negative reinforcement

CORRECT ANSWER IS: partial reinforcement

1334. QUESTION: After moving into a home very near to a hospital,, a young child became frightened and upset each time he heard ambulance sirens racing by. With time, the child seemed less bothered by the sirens. Eventually, the child seemed not to notice the sirens at all. This lessened reaction to the sirens is most likely caused by

A. chaining
B. habituation
C. extinction
D. sensitization

CORRECT ANSWER IS: habituation

1335. QUESTION: A fixed-interval schedule of reinforcement is one in which a response is reinforced only after a/an

A. specified time period has elapsed
B. unpredictable time period has elapsed
C. specified number of responses have been made
D. unpredictable number of responses have been made

CORRECT ANSWER IS: specified time period has elapsed

1336. QUESTION: In one of Pavlov's experiments, a dog learned to salivate at the sound of a bell. In this case, the bell was _____ and the salivation it elicited was _____

A. an unconditioned stimulus, a conditioned response
B. a conditioned stimulus, a conditioned response
C. a conditioned stimulus, an unconditioned response
D. a conditioned reflex, a conditioned response

CORRECT ANSWER IS: a conditioned stimulus, a conditioned response

1337. QUESTION: In operant conditioning

A. continuous reinforcement schedule is least susceptible to extinction

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B. negative reinforcement is a type of punishment
C. shaping occurs when responses are coincidently paired to a reinforced
D. the process is related to trial and error leaning

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the process is related to trial and error leaning

1338. QUESTION: A woodworker is paid for every dozen cabinet door carveD. This worker is operating under a _____ schedule

A. fixed-interval
B. fixed-ratio
C. variable-interval
D. variable-ratio

CORRECT ANSWER IS: fixed-ratio

1339. QUESTION: A shy person has agreed to say "hello" to ten people during a day. If these greetings are met with friendly responses, the shy person is more likely to initiate a greeting in the future. This procedure is most accurately categorized as

A. habituation
B. classical conditioned
C. operant conditioning
D. observational learning

CORRECT ANSWER IS: operant conditioning

1340. QUESTION: A real estate agent showed Badar several pictures of lakeshore property while they were eating a delicious, mouth-watering meal. Later, when Badar was given a tour of the property, he drooled with delight. For Badar, the lakeshore property was a

A. UCS
B. UCR
C. CS
D. CR

CORRECT ANSWER IS: CS

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1341. QUESTION: On the first day of class, Professor Waqar tells his history students that quizzes will be given at unpredictable times throughout the semester. Clearly, studying for Professor Waqar's surprise quizzes will be reinforced on a _____ schedule

A. fixed-interval
B. fixed-ratio
C. variable-interval
D. variable-ratio

CORRECT ANSWER IS: variable-interval

1342. QUESTION: In classical conditioning, which element determines what the conditional response will be?

A. the conditional stimulus
B. the unconditional stimulus
C. both a and b
D. neither a and b

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the unconditional stimulus

1343. QUESTION: A pigeon is placed in a "skinner box" which is outfitted with a key for pecking and a chute that delivers fooD. Through shaping, the experimenter plans to condition the bird to peck the key in order to obtain fooD. The experimenter will need to use

A. secondary reinforcement
B. autonomic conditioning
C. differential reinforcement
D. AutoShaping

CORRECT ANSWER IS: differential reinforcement

1344. QUESTION: When viewed in terms of adaptiveness, it makes sense that _____ schedules procedure faster response rates than _____ schedules

A. ratio, interval
B. interval, ratio
C. variable, fixed

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D. fixed, variable

CORRECT ANSWER IS: ratio, interval

1345. QUESTION: For the most rapid acquisition of a CR, the CS should be presented

A. shortly after the CR
B. shortly after the UCS
C. shortly before the UCS
D. at the same time as the UCS

CORRECT ANSWER IS: shortly before the UCS

1346. QUESTION: How did Edward Thorndike study instrumental or operant responses?

A. he used a procedure similar to Pavlov's
B. he placed animals in boxes from which they learned to escape
C. he placed animals in boxes equipped with a bar which, when pressed, delivered reward
D. he trained rats to swim through flooded mazes

CORRECT ANSWER IS: he placed animals in boxes from which they learned to escape

1347. QUESTION: Positive reinforcement _____ the rate of responding : negative reinforcement _____ the rate of responding

A. increases : decreases
B. decreases : increases
C. increases : increases
D. decreases : decreases

CORRECT ANSWER IS: increases : decreases

1348. QUESTION: The highest rates of operant responding are associated with the _____ schedule of reinforcement

A. fixed-ratio
B. fixed-interval
C. variable-ratio

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D. variable-interval

CORRECT ANSWER IS: fixed-ratio

1349. QUESTION: The basic difference between Pavlov's principle of conditioning and the empiricist philosopher's law of association by contiguity is that

A. Pavlov discovered the brain mechanisms by which association occurs
B. Pavlov, unlike the philosophers, understood that learning is a response to the pairing of two stimuli
C. Pavlov based his conclusion on observable responses, not unobservable mental images
D. all of the above

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Pavlov based his conclusion on observable responses, not unobservable mental images

1350. QUESTION: An experimenter plans to condition a dog to salivate to a light by pairing the light with fooD. The dog will learn to salivate to the light most quickly if the experimenter presents the light

A. 5 seconds before the food
B. 1/2 second before the food
C. 1/2 second after the food
D. 5 seconds after the food

CORRECT ANSWER IS: 1/2 second before the food

1351. QUESTION: What type of reinforcement schedule produces the greatest resistance to extinction?

A. continuous reinforcement
B. partial reinforcement, especially on a fixed schedule
C. partial reinforcement, especially on a variable schedule
D. the schedule of reinforcement is not related to resistance to extinction

CORRECT ANSWER IS: partial reinforcement, especially on a variable schedule

1352. QUESTION: To motivate himself to study, a student decides that after learning a chapter of material he will treat himself to a movie. In this situation, seeing a movie is acting as a reinforcement for studying, This situation demonstrates

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A. the Premack principle
B. a fixed-interval ratio schedule
C. AutoShaping
D. the Garcia effect

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the Premack principle

1353. QUESTION: Jamal quit gambling after he lost over a ten thousand rupees betting on horse races. This best illustrates the effects of

A. primary reinforces
B. secondary reinforces
C. partial reinforcement
D. punishment

CORRECT ANSWER IS: punishment

1354. QUESTION: The law of effect formulated by Thorndike states that

A. a stimulus will elicit a conditioned response, if it has been paired with an unconditioned stimulus
B. responses leading to satisfying results become more likely to be repeated and those leading to unpleasant results become less likely to be repeated
C. the effect of experiencing two events contiguously is that they will tend to be associated in the future
D. any response that produces an effect will tend to be repeated in the future

CORRECT ANSWER IS: responses leading to satisfying results become more likely to be repeated and those leading to unpleasant results become less likely to be repeated

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1355. QUESTION: Behavior is governed by its consequences, describe

A. supply demand theory
B. operant conditioning
C. the Yerkes Dodson law
D. psychological crisis

CORRECT ANSWER IS: operant conditioning

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1356. QUESTION: A person will automatically blink in response to a puff of air in the eye. If the word pickle is spoken just before the puff on a number of occasions, the person will eventually blink in response to hearing the word pickle. This is an example of

A. habituation
B. classical conditioning
C. operant conditioning
D. generalization

CORRECT ANSWER IS: classical conditioning

1357. QUESTION: According to B.F. Skinner human behavior is controlled primarily by

A. biological predispositions
B. external influences
C. emotions
D. unconscious motives

CORRECT ANSWER IS: external influences

1358. QUESTION: Extinction occurs when a _____ is no longer paired with a _____

A. UCR, CR
B. CS, UCR
C. UCS, UCR
D. CS, UCS

CORRECT ANSWER IS: CS, UCS

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1359. QUESTION: Which of the following reinforcement schedules in operant conditioning would be best to use if you want to produce behavior that is very resistant to extinction?

A. continuous
B. fixed ratio
C. variable ratio
D. fixed interval

CORRECT ANSWER IS: variable ratio

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1360. QUESTION: B. F. Skinner's laboratory procedures were most clearly modeled on

A. Pavlov's salivation measurement technique
B. Thorndike's puzzle boxes
C. Watson's procedures to condition a fearful response
D. Tolman's maze-learning experiments

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Thorndike's puzzle boxes

1361. QUESTION: An experimenter wants to train a dog to bark at a red light. The dog naturally barks at a mouse when it is presented outside the dog's cage. For countless trials, the experimenter presents the mouse and then the red light. The dog never learns to bark at the red light because

A. the UCS and the CS are presented in the wrong order
B. the UCR and the CS are not at all similar
C. the CS is not salient enough
D. the CS precedes the UCS

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the UCS and the CS are presented in the wrong order

1362. QUESTION: Who would be most likely to emphasize the importance of observational learning?

A. Watson
B. Bandura
C. Skinner
D. Pavlov

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Bandura

1363. QUESTION: Which of the following phenomenon was studied by Pavlov?

A. maturation
B. animal cognition
C. operant conditioning
D. classical conditioning

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: classical conditioning

1364. QUESTION: A dog will withdraw its leg in a flexion response if its paw is shockeD. If a tone is repeatedly paired with the shock, the dog will eventually withdraw its leg in response to the tone. This is an example of

A. habituation
B. classical conditioning
C. operant conditioning
D. discrimination

CORRECT ANSWER IS: classical conditioning

1365. QUESTION: The occurrence of spontaneous recovery suggests that during extinction the _____ is _____

A. CS, eliminated
B. CR, eliminated
C. CS, suppressed
D. CR, suppressed

CORRECT ANSWER IS: CR, suppressed

1366. QUESTION: If we reinforce a response in the presence of a particular stimulus and do not reinforce the response in the absence of that stimulus, the stimulus is serving the

A. a schedule of partial reinforcement
B. a reward contrast
C. a discriminative stimulus
D. a token

CORRECT ANSWER IS: a discriminative stimulus

1367. QUESTION: Skinner is to shaping as Bandura is to

A. extinguishing
B. discrimination
C. modeling
D. generalizing

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: modeling

1368. QUESTION: The term "reinforcement" refers to the pairing of

A. CS and US
B. CR and UR
C. US and UR
D. CS and CR

CORRECT ANSWER IS: CS and CR

1369. QUESTION: A consequence of a response that makes the response more likely to occur again is called

A. an operant
B. a discriminative stimulus
C. a reinforce
D. a shaper

CORRECT ANSWER IS: a reinforce

1370. QUESTION: Classical conditioning is a process whereby

A. certain responses result from certain stimulate presentations
B. the CS is always presented before the UCS
C. action that are rewarded tend to be strengthened
D. learning occurs when a stimulus is paired with a certain response

CORRECT ANSWER IS: learning occurs when a stimulus is paired with a certain response

1371. QUESTION: If after a conditioned reflex has been learned, the conditioned stimulus is repeatedly presented without the unconditioned stimulus, which of the following is most likely to occur?

A. habituation
B. second-order conditioning
C. discrimination
D. extinction

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: extinction

1372. QUESTION: Toddlers taught to fear speeding cars may also begin to fear speeding motorcycles. This best illustrates

A. latent learning
B. secondary reinforcement
C. shaping
D. generalization

CORRECT ANSWER IS: generalization

1373. QUESTION: The fact that abusive parents tend to have aggressive children best illustrates the effects of

A. latent learning
B. classical conditioning
C. modeling
D. delayed reinforcement

CORRECT ANSWER IS: modeling

1374. QUESTION: In Pavlovian conditioning the learned response is

A. CS
B. CR
C. UCS
D. UCR

CORRECT ANSWER IS: CR

1375. QUESTION: Suppose a rat is reinforced with food pellets for lever pressing, but only while a buzzer is sounding. The buzzer is

A. a reward contrast
B. a discriminative stimulus
C. a schedule of partial reinforcement
D. a token

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: a discriminative stimulus

1376. QUESTION: Biofeedback training, which can sometimes help subjects to control their own blood pressure and other internal physiological phenomena, is a variation of

A. classical conditioning
B. operant conditioning
C. observational learning
D. imprinting

CORRECT ANSWER IS: operant conditioning

1377. QUESTION: After receiving a painful shot from a female nurse in a white uniform, 3-year-old Abbad experiences fear of any woman wearing a white dress. Abbad's reaction best illustrates

A. latent learning
B. generalization
C. shaping
D. extinction

CORRECT ANSWER IS: generalization

1378. QUESTION: Albert Bandura's social learning theory holds that

A. learning is best in group settings
B. learning can be achieved by observing and modeling another person's behavior
C. mere exposure to an aggressive scene always later elicits aggressive behavior
D. social learning takes place at an unconscious level

CORRECT ANSWER IS: learning can be achieved by observing and modeling another person's behavior

1379. QUESTION: In the example of classical conditioning in which the child feared the doctor, the CS was

A. fear
B. a painful injection
C. a sever illness

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D. the presence of the doctor

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the presence of the doctor

1380. QUESTION: Pavlov and his colleagues found that extinction of a conditioned reflex does not return the animal to its unconditioned state. Which of the following phenomena is evidence that this is so?

A. generalization
B. higher-order conditioning
C. discrimination
D. spontaneous recovery

CORRECT ANSWER IS: spontaneous recovery

1381. QUESTION: Thorndike's "law of effect" was an early form of the present day principle of

A. extinction
B. contiguity
C. reinforcement
D. trial and error

CORRECT ANSWER IS: reinforcement

1382. QUESTION: In the example of the child fearing the doctor, the child's fear of a scientist in a white lab coat illustrates the process of

A. shaping
B. spontaneous recovery
C. latent learning
D. generalization

CORRECT ANSWER IS: generalization

1383. QUESTION: The operant conditioning technique used to control physiological responses of which we are not normally aware is called

A. imprinting

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B. behavior therapy
C. observational learning
D. biofeedback training

CORRECT ANSWER IS: biofeedback training

1384. QUESTION: The ability to distinguish between a conditioned stimulus and similar stimuli that do not signal an unconditioned stimulus is called

A. shaping
B. acquisition
C. discrimination
D. generalization

CORRECT ANSWER IS: discrimination

1385. QUESTION: The phenomenon of spontaneous recovery provides evidence that

A. extinction returns the learner to the unconditioned state
B. extinction inhibits but does not destroy the conditioned reflex
C. extinction will not occur in a thoroughly conditioned subject
D. both a and b

CORRECT ANSWER IS: extinction inhibits but does not destroy the conditioned reflex

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1386. QUESTION: A single acquisition trial may be sufficient for classical conditioning when the

A. CS is a neutral stimulus
B. UCS is presented before the CS
C. UCR quickly follows the UCS
D. UCS is a very powerful stimulus

CORRECT ANSWER IS: UCS is a very powerful stimulus

1387. QUESTION: Behavior according to operant conditioning theory is controlled by

A. its consequences

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B. free will
C. knowledge
D. instinct

CORRECT ANSWER IS: its consequences

1388. QUESTION: Which of the following is most clearly a primary reinforces?

A. praise
B. money
C. food
D. grades

CORRECT ANSWER IS: food

1389. QUESTION: Noor's thumb-sucking has become habitual because she begins to feel less anxious whenever she sucks her thumB. This best illustrates the process of

A. generalization
B. classical conditioning
C. operant conditioning
D. latent learning

CORRECT ANSWER IS: operant conditioning

1390. QUESTION: Behavior therapists can help people to overcome such unwanted habits as smoking or overeating through

A. operant conditioning
B. observational learning
C. place learning
D. habituation

CORRECT ANSWER IS: operant conditioning

1391. QUESTION: According to the text, learning

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A. always produces an improvement in behavior
B. requires the ability to think abstractly
C. enables us to adapt to our environment
D. does not occur in simple animals

CORRECT ANSWER IS: enables us to adapt to our environment

1392. QUESTION: Continuous reinforcement produces _____ learning and _____ extinction

A. fast, slow
B. slow, fast
C. fast, fast
D. slow, slow

CORRECT ANSWER IS: fast, fast

1393. QUESTION: A dog is classically conditioned to salivate to a tone of particular pitch. The dog later responds to higher and lower tones but have not been presented previously. This is an illustration of

A. discrimination
B. generalization
C. habituation
D. higher-order conditioning

CORRECT ANSWER IS: generalization

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1394. QUESTION: Pavlov is to _____ as Skinner is to _____

A. operant conditioning, classical conditioning
B. latent learning, observational learning
C. observational learning, operant conditioning
D. respondent behavior, operant behavior

CORRECT ANSWER IS: respondent behavior, operant behavior

1395. QUESTION: A token is

A. a placebo
B. a negative reinforce
C. a secondary reinforce that can be exchanged for a primary reinforce
D. a primary reinforce in humans and a secondary reinforce in nonhuman animals

CORRECT ANSWER IS: a secondary reinforce that can be exchanged for a primary reinforce

1396. QUESTION: The law of effect states that

A. close temporal contiguity is the key characteristic is forming an association between stimulus and response
B. a response will be strengthened if the organism is rewarded for that response
C. effect is strong if the effect is long lasting
D. response is generalized across similar surroundings

CORRECT ANSWER IS: a response will be strengthened if the organism is rewarded for that response

1397. QUESTION: Which schedule of reinforcement produces the greatest resistance to extinction?

A. fixed ratio
B. fixed interval
C. variable ratio
D. variable interval

CORRECT ANSWER IS: variable interval

1398. QUESTION: A Skinner box is a/an

A. soundproofed cubicle in which organisms are classically conditioned in the absence of distracting noise
B. aversive or punishing event that decreases the occurrence of certain undesirable behaviors
C. special "slot machine" that is used to study the effects of partial reinforcement on gambling behavior
D. chamber containing a bar or key that an animal can manipulate to obtain a reinforce

CORRECT ANSWER IS: chamber containing a bar or key that an animal can manipulate to obtain a reinforce

1399. QUESTION: In imitation of his parents, a toddler says "hello" every time he hears the phone ring. He also says "hello" when he hears other bells ring. This phenomenon is referred to as

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A. discrimination
B. reutilization
C. generalization
D. habituation

CORRECT ANSWER IS: generalization

1400. QUESTION: In Pavlov's experiments, the dog's salivation triggered by the taste of food was a/an

A. conditioned response
B. unconditioned stimulus
C. unconditioned response
D. conditioned stimulus

CORRECT ANSWER IS: unconditioned response

1401. QUESTION: A teacher wants an unruly child to sit still in the classroom. The teacher might reward the child for sitting for five minutes, then ten minutes, and so on. This strategy uses the technique called

A. shaping
B. generalization
C. extinction
D. chaining

CORRECT ANSWER IS: shaping

1402. QUESTION: The process of reinforcing successively closer approximations to a desired behavior is called

A. shaping
B. partial reinforcement
C. secondary reinforcement
D. modeling

CORRECT ANSWER IS: shaping

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1403. QUESTION: You have just moved from a quiet street to one with railroad tracks running right behind it. The noise of the trains keeps you awake nights at first, but after several weeks you barely notice it. A learning theorist would refer to this process as

A. acclimation
B. assimilation
C. accommodation
D. habituation

CORRECT ANSWER IS: habituation

1404. QUESTION: Learning refers to

A. the attainment of successive stages of cognitive development
B. changes in an individual's thought or behavior as a result of biological processes of aging
C. changes in an individual's thought and behavior as a result of accumulating experience
D. the development of an individual thought and behavior due to the interactions of biological and environmental factors

CORRECT ANSWER IS: changes in an individual's thought and behavior as a result of accumulating experience

1405. QUESTION: Suppose a patient in a mental hospital is given a token each time he makes his beD. When he has a certain number of tokens, he can redeem them for candy. This is an application of

A. classical conditioning
B. operant conditioning
C. biofeedback training
D. observational learning

CORRECT ANSWER IS: operant conditioning

1406. QUESTION: After classical conditioning, a learner can be trained not to generalize through a procedure known as

A. higher order conditioning
B. shaping
C. discrimination training
D. reward contrast

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: discrimination training

1407. QUESTION: In initial training for the acquisition of a response, the most efficient schedule of reinforcement is

A. fixed-ratio reinforcement
B. fixed-interval reinforcement
C. variable-ratio reinforcement
D. continuous reinforcement

CORRECT ANSWER IS: continuous reinforcement

1408. QUESTION: Which of the following is an unconditioned response?

A. playing jump rope
B. shivering in cold weather
C. running through a maze to get a food reward
D. clapping after a thrilling concert performance

CORRECT ANSWER IS: shivering in cold weather

1409. QUESTION: Pavlov's initial discovery of what is now called classical conditioning emerged from his earlier studies of

A. mating behavior in dogs
B. operant behaviors in dogs
C. digestive reflexes in dogs
D. neurological damage in dogs

CORRECT ANSWER IS: digestive reflexes in dogs

1410. QUESTION: Five-year-old Zain is emotionally disturbed and refuses to communicate with anyone. To get him to speak, his teacher initially gives him candy for any utterance, then only for a clearly spoken word, and finally only for a complete sentence. The teacher has used the method of

A. modeling
B. delayed reinforcement
C. partial reinforcement

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D. shaping

CORRECT ANSWER IS: shaping

1411. QUESTION: Any process that increases the likelihood that a particular operant response will occur again is called

A. reinforcement
B. punishment
C. discrimination
D. chaining

CORRECT ANSWER IS: reinforcement

1412. QUESTION: A student who has never studied decides to try it and is delighted to receive a B on the exam rather than the usual D. The student starts studying more regularly as a result of

A. classical conditioning
B. habituation
C. positive reinforcement
D. b and c

CORRECT ANSWER IS: positive reinforcement

1413. QUESTION: Which of the following learning mechanism does B.F. Skinner see as being the major means by which behavior is learned?

A. classical conditioning
B. operant conditioning
C. observational learning
D. insight learning

CORRECT ANSWER IS: operant conditioning

1414. QUESTION: Your dog wags his tail whenever he hears your car pull into the driveway, but not when he hears other cars arrive. In the classical conditioning model, this phenomenon would be considered an example of

A. habituation

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B. generalization
C. stimulus discrimination
D. shaping

CORRECT ANSWER IS: stimulus discrimination

1415. QUESTION: A young child is seated for the first time in a dentist's chair. The first time the drill is turned on the child shows no particular response. Then the drill is applied to the cavity, causing sharp pain and a reflexive tensing of all muscles. From then on, every time the drill comes on the child muscles become tense. This is best described as

A. operant conditioning, with the sound of the drill as the negative reinforce
B. operant conditioning, with pain as the negative reinforce
C. classical conditioning, with the sound of the drill as the conditioned stimulus
D. classical conditioning, with pain as the conditioned stimulus

CORRECT ANSWER IS: classical conditioning, with the sound of the drill as the conditioned stimulus

1416. QUESTION: In Pavlov's experiments on the salivary conditioning of dogs, the UCS was

A. a tone
B. salivation to the sound of a tone
C. the presentation of food in the dog's mouth
D. salivation to the food in the mouth

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the presentation of food in the dog's mouth

1417. QUESTION: When an operant response stops occurring because it is no longer reinforced, which of the following has taken place?

A. an avoidance response
B. generalization
C. extinction
D. negative reinforcement

CORRECT ANSWER IS: extinction

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1418. QUESTION: If the removal of a stimulus following a response increases the likelihood that the response will recur, the stimulus is

A. a positive reinforce
B. a negative reinforce
C. a discriminative stimulus
D. a secondary reinforce

CORRECT ANSWER IS: a negative reinforce

1419. QUESTION: Saad, an air traffic control, runs 2 miles every day after work because it reduces his level of stress. Saad's running habit is maintained by a _____ reinforce.

A. positive
B. negative
C. secondary
D. partial

CORRECT ANSWER IS: negative

1420. QUESTION: A dog salivates at a particular tone and at no others, although evidence suggests that the dog's response to the tone should generalize at least to others close to it in pitch. Which of the following is the most likely explanation?

A. the dog received discrimination training, the chosen tone was always followed by food and other tones never were
B. the dog received discrimination training, because it consistently received food only after the chosen tone was played, the dog learned to hear the difference between that tone and others
C. a and b
D. none of them

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the dog received discrimination training, the chosen tone was always followed by food and other tones never were

1421. QUESTION: An infant becomes quite excited when his mother returns home from work each day. Gradually, the child starts to become excited whenever he hears a key turning in the door lock. In the classical conditioning model, the noise of the key would be

A. an unconditioned stimulus

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B. a conditioned stimulus
C. a primary stimulus
D. a discriminative stimulus

CORRECT ANSWER IS: a conditioned stimulus

1422. QUESTION: In Pavlov's experiments, the dog's salivation triggered by the sound of the bell was a/an

A. conditioned response
B. unconditioned response
C. unconditioned stimulus
D. conditioned stimulus

CORRECT ANSWER IS: conditioned response

1423. QUESTION: A mother has been giving her son ten rupees for every day that his room is clean. After several weeks, she decides that her son has learned the value of cleaning up and withdraws the daily rewarD. He stops cleaning his room. To which of the followings is this response most likely to be attributable?

A. an avoidance response
B. generalization
C. extinction
D. negative reinforcement

CORRECT ANSWER IS: extinction

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1424. QUESTION: The taste of food and the termination of painful electric shock are both _____ reinforces

A. positive
B. negative
C. primary
D. secondary

CORRECT ANSWER IS: primary

1425. QUESTION: A psychologist explains you that learning can be best defined in terms of underlying thought process. What theory is being stated

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A. social learning
B. cognitive learning
C. trial and error
D. none of these

CORRECT ANSWER IS: cognitive learning

1426. QUESTION: For most people, personal insults, fines, and headaches serve as

A. negative reinforces
B. positive reinforces
C. either a or b depending on the discriminative stimulus
D. punisher but not reinforces

CORRECT ANSWER IS: negative reinforces

1427. QUESTION: Learning that is not immediately demonstrated in the animal's behavior is called

A. observational learning
B. imprinting
C. latent learning
D. delayed learning

CORRECT ANSWER IS: latent learning

1428. QUESTION: In Pavlov's original experiment with dogs, the tone was initially a/an _____ stimulus, after it was paired with meat, it became a/an _____ stimulus

A. conditioned , neutral
B. neutral, conditioned
C. conditioned, unconditioned
D. unconditioned, conditioned

CORRECT ANSWER IS: neutral, conditioned

1429. QUESTION: A response that leads to the removal of an unpleasant stimulus is one being

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A. positively reinforced
B. negatively reinforced
C. punished
D. extinguished

CORRECT ANSWER IS: negatively reinforced

1430. QUESTION: The phenomenon in which young birds follow the first moving object they observe is

A. imprinting
B. bonding
C. assimilation
D. accommodation

CORRECT ANSWER IS: imprinting

1431. QUESTION: In order to obtain a reward, a monkey learns to press a lever when a bell tone is on but not when a Buzzer tone is on. What kind of training is this?

A. extinction
B. generalization
C. spontaneous recovery
D. discrimination

CORRECT ANSWER IS: discrimination

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1432. QUESTION: Which one of the following is necessary before an avoidance response can take place?

A. a positive reinforce
B. a discriminative stimulus
C. punishment
D. shaping

CORRECT ANSWER IS: a discriminative stimulus

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1433. QUESTION: When a conditioned stimulus is presented without an accompanying unconditioned stimulus _____ will soon take place

A. generalization
B. discrimination
C. extinction
D. spontaneous recovery

CORRECT ANSWER IS: extinction

1434. QUESTION: Last evening Mariam ate her first burger at a fast food restaurant. A few hours later she became ill. It can be expected that

A. Mariam will develop an aversion to the sight of a burger
B. Mariam will develop an aversion to the taste of a burger
C. Mariam will not associate her illness with the food she ate
D. Mariam will associate her sickness with something she experienced immediately before she became ill

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Mariam will develop an aversion to the taste of a burger

1435. QUESTION: Learning is best defined as

A. any behavior emitted by an organism without being elicited
B. a change in the behavior of an organism
C. a relatively permanent change in the behavior of an organism due to experience
D. behavior based on operant rather than respondent conditioning

CORRECT ANSWER IS: a relatively permanent change in the behavior of an organism due to experience

1436. QUESTION: Which of the following statements concerning reinforcement is correct?

A. learning is most rapid with partial reinforcement, but continuous reinforcement produces the greatest resistance to extinction
B. learning is most rapid with continuous reinforcement, but partial reinforcement produces the greatest resistance to extinction
C. learning is fastest and resistance to extinction is greatest after continuous reinforcement
D. learning is fastest and resistance to extinction is greatest following partial reinforcement

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: learning is most rapid with continuous reinforcement, but partial reinforcement produces the greatest resistance to extinction

1437. QUESTION: Which of the following is an example of shaping?

A. a dog learns to salivate at the sight of box of dog biscuits
B. a new drive learns to stop at an intersection when the light change to red
C. a parrot is rewarded first for making any sound, then for making a sound similar to "Laila", and then for speaking its owner's name
D. all of them

CORRECT ANSWER IS: a parrot is rewarded first for making any sound, then for making a sound similar to "Laila", and then for speaking its owner's name

1438. QUESTION: One interpretation of Pavlov's conditioned experiments dogs is that the dogs learned to expect food when the conditioned stimulus appeared and their salivation was a consequence of that expectation. This interpretation fits best with which of the following perspectives on learning?

A. the behavioral perspective
B. the cognitive perspective
C. the ecological perspective
D. none of the above

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the cognitive perspective

1439. QUESTION: Which of the following is an example of reinforcement?

A. presenting a positive stimulus after a response
B. removing an unpleasant stimulus after a response
C. being told that you have done a good job
D. all of the above

CORRECT ANSWER IS: all of the above

1440. QUESTION: Cognitive processes are

A. unimportant in classical and operant conditioning

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B. important in both classical and operant conditioning
C. more important in classical than in operant conditioning
D. more important in operant than in classical conditioning

CORRECT ANSWER IS: important in both classical and operant conditioning

1441. QUESTION: The type of learning associated with Skinner is

A. classical conditioning
B. operant conditioning
C. respondent conditioning
D. observational learning

CORRECT ANSWER IS: operant conditioning

1442. QUESTION: Nabeel was in college when a thunder storm struck his community. Although no one was injured, he was terribly frighteneD. Now, he is afraid of all storms. This is an example of

A. stimulus generalization
B. stimulus discrimination
C. spontaneous recovery
D. reflexive relationships

CORRECT ANSWER IS: stimulus generalization

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1443. QUESTION: Which of the following is the best example of a primary reinforce?

A. food
B. money
C. paycheck
D. new clothes

CORRECT ANSWER IS: food

1444. QUESTION: In Pavlov's original experiment with dogs, the meat served as a/an

A. CS

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B. CR
C. UCS
D. UCR

CORRECT ANSWER IS: UCS

1445. QUESTION: Edward Tolman proposed that through exploration of its environment, an animal acquires

A. a cognitive map
B. a sequence of simple response
C. no new knowledge
D. an ecological perspective

CORRECT ANSWER IS: a cognitive map

1446. QUESTION: The highest and most consistent rate of response is produced by a _____ schedule

A. fixed-ratio
B. variable-ratio
C. fixed-interval
D. variable-interval

CORRECT ANSWER IS: variable-ratio

1447. QUESTION: John Watson's conditioning of Little Albert to fear a white rat was based on

A. little Albert's natural fear of the rat
B. the reflexive relationship between fear and loud noises
C. the child's natural anxiety in the presence of stranger
D. little Albert's ability to generalize fear to many different stimuli

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the child's natural anxiety in the presence of stranger

1448. QUESTION: During extinction, the _____ is omitted, as a result, the _____ seems to disappear

A. UCS, UCR
B. CS, CR

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C. UCS, CR
D. CS, UCR

CORRECT ANSWER IS: UCS, CR

1449. QUESTION: Which of the following is a form of associative learning?

A. classical conditioning
B. operant conditioning
C. observational learning
D. all of the above

CORRECT ANSWER IS: all of the above

1450. QUESTION: Operant conditioning is to _____ as classical conditioning is to _____

A. Pavlov, Watson
B. Skinner, Bandura
C. Pavlov, Skinner
D. Skinner, Pavlov

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Skinner, Pavlov

1451. QUESTION: Which of the following is the correct order of stimuli and responses during the acquisition stage?

A. UCS-CS-CR
B. UR-UCS-US
C. CS-UCS-UCR
D. CS-UCR-UCS

CORRECT ANSWER IS: CS-UCS-UCR

1452. QUESTION: In classical conditioning, the relationship between the conditioned stimulus and the conditioned response is

A. learned
B. reflexive

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C. hereditary
D. conditioned

CORRECT ANSWER IS: learned

1453. QUESTION: Putting on you coat when it is cold outside is a behavior that is maintained by

A. discrimination learning
B. negative reinforcement
C. classical conditioning
D. positive reinforcement

CORRECT ANSWER IS: negative reinforcement

1454. QUESTION: A child had a very traumatic water-related experience of almost drowning. Now the child's best friends are standing in the water and are calling to the child to join them. This approach to the child's fear problem would be an example of

A. learning reversal
B. counter-conditioning
C. implosion
D. conditioned aversion

CORRECT ANSWER IS: counter-conditioning

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1455. QUESTION: When Pavlov repeatedly presented the conditioned stimulus without pairing it with the unconditioned stimulus, the conditioned response failed to occur. This is known as

A. condition failure
B. recovery
C. extinction
D. habituation

CORRECT ANSWER IS: extinction

1456. QUESTION: Spontaneous recovery of a classically conditioned response usually occurs immediately following

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A. the presentation of the UCS
B. acquisition
C. a rest period
D. extinction

CORRECT ANSWER IS: a rest period

1457. QUESTION: You teach your dog to fetch the paper by giving him a cookie each time he does so. This is an example of

A. operant conditioning
B. classical conditioning
C. secondary reinforcement
D. partial reinforcement

CORRECT ANSWER IS: operant conditioning

1458. QUESTION: Bandura's studies of aggression suggest that

A. frustration is necessary antecedent condition of aggressive modeling
B. observation of aggressive responses increase the likelihood of aggressive behavior in children
C. adult models are more influential than peer models in stimulating aggression in children
D. direct expression of hostile feelings is most common in children with high frustration tolerance

CORRECT ANSWER IS: observation of aggressive responses increase the likelihood of aggressive behavior in children

1459. QUESTION: Kohler's experiment on chimpanzee problem solving demonstrated that

A. insight can be explained by trial-and-error learning
B. not all learning is trial-and-error
C. chimpanzees used cognitive maps to find the bananas
D. chimpanzees do not learn by trial-and-error

CORRECT ANSWER IS: chimpanzees used cognitive maps to find the bananas

1460. QUESTION: In reciting the alphabet for a school play, Fatima says the first ten letters in perfect order but then slips up and recites the remaining letters in incorrect order. This is an example of

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A. physical processing
B. selective attention
C. the recency effect
D. the primary effect

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the primary effect

1461. QUESTION: Which type of memory is being tested when you take a multiple-choice test?

A. method of Loci
B. Recognition
C. savings method
D. free recall

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Recognition

1462. QUESTION: Zahra has learned something and now has been away from it for several months. A researcher measured how long it took her to learn it initially and now will measure how long it takes her to relearn it. By comparing the difference in the two times required for learning, the researcher has instituted the _____ method of measuring memory

A. PQ4R
B. saving
C. sensory
D. maintenance

CORRECT ANSWER IS: saving

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1463. QUESTION: Remembering the name of the first president of Pakistan : _____ :: Remembering the name of your first teacher : semantic memory

A. implicit memory
B. episodic memory
C. long-term memory
D. explicit memory

CORRECT ANSWER IS: episodic memory

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1464. QUESTION: The example of a recognition task is

A. fill-in-the-blank question
B. essay type question
C. multiple-choice question
D. true-false question

CORRECT ANSWER IS: multiple-choice question

1465. QUESTION: The order in which visual information is processed is

A. echoic memory, short-term memory, long-term memory
B. short-term memory, episodic memory, long-term memory
C. iconic memory, short-term memory, long-term memory
D. episodic memory, short-term memory, long-term memory

CORRECT ANSWER IS: iconic memory, short-term memory, long-term memory

1466. QUESTION: Associating a list of items you need to remember with a sequence of specific places is called

A. encoding specificity
B. chunking
C. the method of Loci
D. cognitive mapping

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the method of Loci

1467. QUESTION: Which one of the following persons could be expected to have the most lasting command of examination material (assuming equal study time and ability)?

A. one who engaged solely in rote memory
B. one who studies all the material silently
C. one who recited portions of the material periodically
D. one who listened to the material on a cassette recorder/CD player

CORRECT ANSWER IS: one who recited portions of the material periodically

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1468. QUESTION: Which one of the following is not specifically an aid to retention?

A. chunking
B. over learning
C. meaningfulness
D. knowledge of results

CORRECT ANSWER IS: knowledge of results

1469. QUESTION: Which of the following is the best way to present a tone in order to enhance memory of quickly vanishing letters on a tachistoscopic display?

A. just as the letters are vanishing from the screen
B. one second after the letters have vanished from the screen
C. five seconds after the letters have vanished from the screen
D. with an inhibiting stimulus to create metacontrast

CORRECT ANSWER IS: one second after the letters have vanished from the screen

1470. QUESTION: Mnemonics are

A. a characteristic of sound
B. techniques used to improve memory
C. the scientific term for a memory location in the brain
D. the sound produces when two notes an octave apart are played simultaneously

CORRECT ANSWER IS: techniques used to improve memory

1471. QUESTION: Voters will be heading to the polls tomorrow for an election. Five political candidates will be speaking on a political program this afternoon. One of those candidates by the luck of the draw, can choose the order of presentation. This candidate would be best advised to speak

A. second
B. third
C. fourth
D. fifth

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: fifth

1472. QUESTION: Which of the following will be least effective retained? Learning to _____

A. swim
B. ride a bicycle
C. drive a car
D. recite a poem

CORRECT ANSWER IS: recite a poem

1473. QUESTION: You decide to go up in your roof to set your TV antennA. You get out your ladder and climb up on the roof. As you approach the antenna, you lose your footing and fall off the roof. Twenty minutes later, you wake up on your law. You cannot recall anything that occurred during the last 45 minutes, i.e., thinking about the roof, getting out the ladder, climbing it, etC. This is an example of

A. anterograde amnesia
B. post-trauma depression
C. retrograde amnesia
D. a fugue state

CORRECT ANSWER IS: retrograde amnesia

1474. QUESTION: McClelland and Rumelhart developed the idea of

A. functional fixedness
B. the dual-code hypothesis
C. reconstructive memory
D. parallel distributed processing

CORRECT ANSWER IS: parallel distributed processing

1475. QUESTION: The "Saving method" developed by Ebbinghaus to measure memory performance was an early form of measuring

A. encoding specificity

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B. semantic memory
C. implicit memory
D. deductive reasoning

CORRECT ANSWER IS: implicit memory

1476. QUESTION: Eidetic memory is most often found in

A. adults
B. depressed adults
C. children
D. mentally-retarded children

CORRECT ANSWER IS: children

1477. QUESTION: Musa made a list of classic movies he wanted to see in no particular order. When asked to reconstruct the list, he successfully listed all the detective movies, then all the comedies, and then all the horror. This is an example of

A. chunking
B. recency
C. assimilation
D. clustering

CORRECT ANSWER IS: clustering

1478. QUESTION: The fact that we remember only the main details in a story and retell it with various "filters" is supportive of _____ theory.

A. reconstructive
B. reappearance
C. regressive
D. free recall

CORRECT ANSWER IS: reconstructive

1479. QUESTION: The "magical number 7 plus or minus 2" refers to _____ and _____

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A. Brown, flashbulb memories
B. Tulving, semantic memory
C. Miller, short-term memory
D. Forester, sensory register memory

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Miller, short-term memory

1480. QUESTION: The area of the brain where short-term memories are transferred to long-term memory is the

A. medulla
B. hippocampus
C. pons
D. hypothalamus

CORRECT ANSWER IS: hippocampus

1481. QUESTION: The tip-of-tongue phenomenon is due to a difficulty in

A. encoding
B. storage
C. retrieval
D. working memory

CORRECT ANSWER IS: retrieval

1482. QUESTION: During an interview, a person may focus on the interviewer's remarks and reactions. However, at some future occasion he may be able to remember the visual details of the room in which the interview took place. The ability refers to

A. multiple encoding
B. parallel storage
C. visual memory
D. none of the above

CORRECT ANSWER IS: parallel storage

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1483. QUESTION: To remember the order of seven color of the spectrum, many people learn "ROY-G-BIV" (red, orange, yellow, green, blue, indigo, violet). This is easier to learn because

A. pictures are easier to remember than words
B. semantic encoding results in better memory than physical encoding
C. the number of chunks to be learned is reduced from 7 to 3
D. words at the beginning or end of a list are remembered better than words at the middle of a list

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the number of chunks to be learned is reduced from 7 to 3

1484. QUESTION: Which of the following statements is true of maintenance rehearsal?

A. maintenance rehearsal keeps material in short-term memory
B. maintenance rehearsal keeps material in long-term memory
C. maintenance rehearsal is also called secondary rehearsal
D. maintenance rehearsal uses elaboration

CORRECT ANSWER IS: maintenance rehearsal keeps material in short-term memory

1485. QUESTION: Which of the following theorists invented the concept of the method of savings?

A. Bartlett
B. Chomsky
C. Craik
D. Ebbinghaus

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Ebbinghaus

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1486. QUESTION: Echoic memory refers to

A. visual perception
B. eidetic perception
C. verbal codes
D. auditory perception

CORRECT ANSWER IS: auditory perception

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1487. QUESTION: A brain tumor in the hippocampus of the brain would impair a person's ability to learn new things while leaving their old memories intact. This condition is known as

A. retroactive inhibition
B. anterograde amnesia
C. proactive inhibition
D. retrograde amnesia

CORRECT ANSWER IS: anterograde amnesia

1488. QUESTION: According to _____ and the _____ we have a tendency to remember the unfinished task

A. Zeigarnik, Zeigarnik effect
B. Brown, tip-of-the-tongue
C. Coates, serial position effect
D. Tulving, episodic memory effect

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Zeigarnik, Zeigarnik effect

1489. QUESTION: A woman met a car accident and after recovering, she cannot remember events right before the crash, it is called

A. anterograde amnesia
B. retrograde amnesia
C. anterograde interference
D. retrograde interference

CORRECT ANSWER IS: retrograde amnesia

1490. QUESTION: According to Craik and Lockhart, which of the following levels of processing would result in the highest recall of information?

A. Phonological
B. Syntactic
C. Semantic
D. Acoustic

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Semantic

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1491. QUESTION: In his studies of memory, Ebbinghaus used the method of savings to determine the

A. amount of material retained from a prior learning task
B. number of trials taken to relearn old material
C. amount of time taken to unlearn old material and learn something new
D. efficacy of using nonsense syllabus to study memory

CORRECT ANSWER IS: amount of material retained from a prior learning task

1492. QUESTION: Which of the following is true of Short Term Memory (STM)?

A. it has a storage capacity of ten times
B. it does not require rehearsals
C. STM is highly susceptible to interference
D. information always travels from STM to Long-Term-Memory

CORRECT ANSWER IS: STM is highly susceptible to interference

1493. QUESTION: Memorizing by rote (i.e., repeating something over and over until it is learned) is also called

A. declarative rehearsal
B. elaborative rehearsal
C. maintenance rehearsal
D. distributed practice

CORRECT ANSWER IS: maintenance rehearsal

1494. QUESTION: A subject in an experiment sits in a chair facing a slide screen. Twenty words are projected on the screen, one at a time. Then the subject is asked to report as many of the twenty words, in any order, that they can remember seeing. This is an example of a _____ memory experiment.

A. paired association
B. recognition task
C. free recall
D. serial learning

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: free recall

1495. QUESTION: Which of the following best illustrates the difference between semantic and episodic memory?

A. remembering how to tie your shoes vs remembering where you bought your last pair of shoes
B. remembering the meaning of phenomenon vs remembering how phenomenon is spelled
C. knowing the meaning of words vs remembering where you went to school
D. remembering where you live vs remembering how to dial a phone

CORRECT ANSWER IS: knowing the meaning of words vs remembering where you went to school

1496. QUESTION: According to Ebbinghaus forgetting curve, which pattern of forgetting is likely to take place after learning new material?

A. forgetting happens gradually and consistently
B. forgetting happens gradually for 24 hours and then more rapidly
C. forgetting happens quickly and is then offset by spontaneous recovery
D. forgetting happens rapidly at first and then gradually

CORRECT ANSWER IS: forgetting happens rapidly at first and then gradually

1497. QUESTION: The SQ3R method emphasizes the importance of

A. experimentation
B. the case study
C. rehearsal
D. replication

CORRECT ANSWER IS: rehearsal

1498. QUESTION: Laboratory techniques for measuring retention have not included

A. serial-recall
B. recognition
C. memory trace
D. paired-association

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: memory trace

1499. QUESTION: After having been away from the following tasks for several years, a person could be expected to return to which one with least practice?

A. a list of nonsense syllables
B. a list of digit spans
C. bicycle riding
D. verbatim recollection of a story

CORRECT ANSWER IS: bicycle riding

1500. QUESTION: Iconic memory refers to

A. visual working memory
B. auditory working memory
C. visual short-term memory
D. visual sensory memory

CORRECT ANSWER IS: visual sensory memory

1501. QUESTION: Which group represents the three ways to measure the amount of long-term memory retention?

A. recognition, recall and rehearsal
B. recognition, savings, and rate of forgetting
C. recall, recognition, and savings
D. saving, recall, and retrieval

CORRECT ANSWER IS: recall, recognition, and savings

1502. QUESTION: The three functions of long-term memory are

A. storage, remembering and retrieval
B. meaning, emotions and recall
C. encoding, storage and retrieval
D. consolidation, organization and retrieval

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: encoding, storage and retrieval

1503. QUESTION: Bartlett found that memory is largely

A. procedural
B. episodic
C. declarative
D. reconstructive

CORRECT ANSWER IS: reconstructive

1504. QUESTION: Retrograde amnesia is a phenomenon in which a person suffering brain injury in an accident loses memory of

A. early childhood experiences
B. events immediately after the injury
C. event immediately prior to the injury, with earlier memory being unimpaired
D. middle childhood events, then forgets early childhood events

CORRECT ANSWER IS: event immediately prior to the injury, with earlier memory being unimpaired

1505. QUESTION: Children learning the alphabet is a common form of

A. serial learning
B. repetition
C. pairing
D. rehearsal

CORRECT ANSWER IS: serial learning

1506. QUESTION: The fact that a task interrupted prior to completion is remembered better than a completed task is called

A. proactive facilitation
B. proactive inhibition
C. Zeigarnik effect
D. von Restorff effect

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: Zeigarnik effect

1507. QUESTION: We usually recommend a film to friends if it started well and had a terrific ending, even though the middle was slow and boring. The film's producer is taking advantage of the _____ and _____ effect

A. primacy, recency
B. cognitive, primacy
C. cognitive, inertial
D. recency, overgeneralization

CORRECT ANSWER IS: primacy, recency

1508. QUESTION: John goes to a party, gets drunk, and is introduced to a coworker. At work the next day, John sees the coworker, but does not remember his name. That night, however, John goes to a party, drinks, sees the coworker, and remembers his name. Which of the following can best explain this sequence of events?

A. retroactive inhibition
B. spreading activation
C. metamemory
D. state-dependent learning

CORRECT ANSWER IS: state-dependent learning

1509. QUESTION: According to Pavlov's dual-code model of memory, the two types of codes used to store long-term memories are

A. visual and auditory
B. semantic and syntactic
C. implicit and explicit
D. verbal and visual

CORRECT ANSWER IS: verbal and visual

1510. QUESTION: A young child tries to recite the alphabet. He begins "A, B, C, D" and ends with "X, Y, Z" but the middle is a scrambled assortment of letters. This is a common example of

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A. the associate learning effect
B. the conceptual learning effect
C. the rehearsal effect
D. the serial position effect

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the serial position effect

1511. QUESTION: Aisha memorized her shopping list. When she got to the store she found, she had forgotten many of the items in the middle of the list. This is an example of

A. inappropriate coding
B. retrograde amnesia
C. proactive interference
D. the serial position effect

CORRECT ANSWER IS: proactive interference

1512. QUESTION: In which method, the subject is required to recognize the original items from among a number of mixed items

A. method of recall
B. method of saving
C. recognition
D. re-arrangement

CORRECT ANSWER IS: recognition

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1513. QUESTION: The theory of forgetting that stresses the similarity of items in memory is

A. decay
B. interference
C. consolidation
D. psychodynamic

CORRECT ANSWER IS: interference

1514. QUESTION: An ability to learn new information and form new long-term memories is called

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A. retroactive amnesia
B. proactive amnesia
C. anterograde amnesia
D. implicit amnesia

CORRECT ANSWER IS: implicit amnesia

1515. QUESTION: An important function of rehearsal in verbal learning is

A. mediation
B. acclimation to the meaning of the material
C. transference of material from short term to long term memory
D. both a and b

CORRECT ANSWER IS: transference of material from short term to long term memory

1516. QUESTION: Subjects are asked to read two stories: one from their culture and one from an unfamiliar culture. In a surprise recall test, subjects are then asked to retrieve the story from memory. Bartlett's reconstructive theory would predict that

A. subjects' recall will be better when the story is not from their culture
B. subjects' recall will be better when the story is from their culture
C. recall will be equally accurate for all stories
D. subjects' will only be able to remember some sentences in the stories

CORRECT ANSWER IS: subjects' recall will be better when the story is from their culture

1517. QUESTION: General knowledge frameworks that help people interpret and remember events are called

A. chunks
B. prototypes
C. schemas
D. propositions

CORRECT ANSWER IS: schemas

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1518. QUESTION: One of the following is not a method of measuring retention

A. recognition
B. relearning
C. recall
D. reminiscence

CORRECT ANSWER IS: reminiscence

1519. QUESTION: Iconic memory decay in under two seconds from the

A. short-term store
B. hippocampus
C. long-term store
D. sensory register

CORRECT ANSWER IS: sensory register

1520. QUESTION: The earliest studies of verbal learning and rote memory were conducted by

A. Thorndike
B. Pavlov
C. Miller
D. Ebbinghaus

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Ebbinghaus

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1521. QUESTION: The serial-position curve shows that the most material is learned

A. at the end of a list
B. during all phases of learning
C. at the beginning of a list
D. in the middle of a list

CORRECT ANSWER IS: at the beginning of a list

1522. QUESTION: The memory store that has a decay time of about 250 milliseconds is

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A. short-term memory
B. echoic memory
C. tactile memory
D. iconic memory

CORRECT ANSWER IS: iconic memory

1523. QUESTION: The memory that holds information for the shortest period of time is known as

A. sensory memory
B. long term memory
C. short term memory
D. implicit memory

CORRECT ANSWER IS: sensory memory

1524. QUESTION: The Von Restorff effect applies to

A. serial position
B. task completion
C. proponent stimulus
D. memory span

CORRECT ANSWER IS: proponent stimulus

1525. QUESTION: Ghazala remembers a phone number by rehearsing the digits alouD. She is using

A. an acoustical code
B. a computer code
C. a semantic code
D. a visual code

CORRECT ANSWER IS: an acoustical code

1526. QUESTION: The earliest studies on record of verbal learning and memory were conducted by

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A. Thorndike
B. Pavlov
C. Skinner
D. Ebbinghaus

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Ebbinghaus

1527. QUESTION: Forgetting that occurs solely as a function of the passage of time is called

A. amnesia
B. decay
C. adaptation
D. interference

CORRECT ANSWER IS: decay

1528. QUESTION: Which of the following factors influence the impact of interference on learning?

A. the nature of material being learned
B. the organization and meaningfulness of the information learned
C. the type of activity that follows studying
D. all of the above

CORRECT ANSWER IS: all of the above

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1529. QUESTION: George Sperling's well known experiment on iconic memory showed that subjects had trouble remembering more than five or so items because of

A. retroactive interference
B. proactive interference
C. rapid decay
D. masking

CORRECT ANSWER IS: rapid decay

1530. QUESTION: Echoic code is to auditory system as iconic code is to

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A. tactile experience
B. sensory system
C. visual system
D. olfactory system

CORRECT ANSWER IS: visual system

1531. QUESTION: George Miller found that short-term memory could contain about how many chunks of information?

A. 1
B. 4
C. 7
D. 11

CORRECT ANSWER IS: 7

1532. QUESTION: A student has several weeks in which to plan study for an upcoming test. Which of the following time allotment strategies would the student be best advised to use?

A. massing study time in the third week before the test
B. massing the study time just before the test
C. distributing study time throughout the several week period
D. studying on every fifth day

CORRECT ANSWER IS: distributing study time throughout the several week period

1533. QUESTION: Given a very limited time (only a few hours) during which to study for a test, a person's best bet would be

A. distributed practice
B. massed practice
C. a combination of distributed/massed/distributed
D. a combination of massed/distributed/massed

CORRECT ANSWER IS: massed practice

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1534. QUESTION: The process by which a stimulus is attended to, identified, studied and incorporated into memory is called

A. storage
B. reasoning
C. encoding
D. retrieval

CORRECT ANSWER IS: encoding

1535. QUESTION: The three most basic information-processing steps involved in memory are

A. attention, rehearsal and organization
B. recognition, recall and relearning
C. reading, reciting and reviewing
D. encoding, storage and retrieval

CORRECT ANSWER IS: encoding, storage and retrieval

1536. QUESTION: Endel Tulving has proposed three memory systems. These are

A. mnemonic, dichotic, and melodic
B. procedural, semantic, and episodic
C. sensory, short-term, and long-term
D. semantic, syntactic, and pragmatic

CORRECT ANSWER IS: procedural, semantic, and episodic

1537. QUESTION: Those items that are most likely to be forgotten are those

A. with the least digits/letters
B. at the beginning of a long list
C. in the middle of a long list
D. at the end of a long list

CORRECT ANSWER IS: in the middle of a long list

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1538. QUESTION: A researcher presents pictures to subjects for them to memorize. A week later, the researcher shows those pictures, interspersed with several new pictures, to the subjects. The subjects' task is to indicate which pictures they have seen before. The researcher is most likely studying

A. recall memory
B. recognition memory
C. semantic memory
D. semantic verification

CORRECT ANSWER IS: recognition memory

1539. QUESTION: The process of encoding refers to

A. the persistence of learning over time
B. the recall of information previously learned
C. getting information into memory
D. a clear memory of an emotionally significant event

CORRECT ANSWER IS: getting information into memory

1540. QUESTION: In contrast to a dissimilar-items list, a similar-items list is

A. more difficult to learn
B. easier to learn
C. learned with equivalent ease
D. more susceptible to the serial position effect

CORRECT ANSWER IS: more difficult to learn

1541. QUESTION: Which one of the following could be expected to enhance performance on a vigilance task?

A. threat of punishment
B. rest periods
C. high pay
D. coworker interaction

CORRECT ANSWER IS: rest periods

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1542. QUESTION: A major distinction between episodic and semantic memory was central to the work of

A. Miller
B. Tulving
C. Ebbinghaus
D. Skinner

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Tulving

1543. QUESTION: Based on principles of learning and memory which of the following should be a good study habit?

A. spend considerable amount of time in self-test
B. massive study of cramming the night before a test
C. read each assignment slowly several times from first word to last
D. spend the most study time on the final parts of a reading assignment

CORRECT ANSWER IS: spend considerable amount of time in self-test

1544. QUESTION: The phenomenon of backward masking provides evidence for

A. long-term memory
B. short-term memory
C. iconic coding
D. latent inhibition

CORRECT ANSWER IS: iconic coding

1545. QUESTION: Which of the following is not an experimental approach to recall?

A. single-trial, free recall
B. split-half, free recall
C. paired association
D. serial presentation

CORRECT ANSWER IS: split-half, free recall

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1546. QUESTION: The method of Loci is an example of

A. the primary effect
B. the recency effect
C. a mnemonic
D. a heuristic

CORRECT ANSWER IS: a mnemonic

1547. QUESTION: Which of the following types of learning is measured by a matching item on a test?

A. saving
B. relearning
C. reconstruction
D. recognition

CORRECT ANSWER IS: reconstruction

1548. QUESTION: The process of getting information out of memory storage is called

A. encoding
B. relearning
C. retrieval
D. rehearsal

CORRECT ANSWER IS: retrieval

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1549. QUESTION: When Ebbinghaus set out to study human memory, he had a basic problem to resolve. He needed to

A. move beyond the introspection practices of the structuralist
B. find a novel-type stimulus his subjects wouldn't already know
C. mask familiar words in the paired-associates method of presentation
D. find a way to tap long-term rather than short-term memory

CORRECT ANSWER IS: find a novel-type stimulus his subjects wouldn't already know

1550. QUESTION: Material in long-term memory

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A. may be lost if the person is interrupted while retrieving it
B. is hypothesized to involve ongoing electrical processes in the brain rather than changes in the brain cells
C. includes all memory that is not currently active
D. may include information that never passed through short-term memory

CORRECT ANSWER IS: includes all memory that is not currently active

1551. QUESTION: Which memory holds a large amount of information for about 2 seconds?

A. tactile memory
B. echoic memory
C. iconic memory
D. short-term memory

CORRECT ANSWER IS: echoic memory

1552. QUESTION: Thinking about the meaning of a word leads to better recall than thinking about the sound or appearance of a worD. This is called the

A. level of processing effect
B. serial position effect
C. forgetting cure
D. functional fixedness effect

CORRECT ANSWER IS: level of processing effect

1553. QUESTION: "It was last spring. I had studied for the An Approach to Psychology and had done quite well on it." This would be an example of

A. semantic memory
B. tip-of-the-tongue phenomenon
C. acoustical encoding
D. episodic memory

CORRECT ANSWER IS: episodic memory

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1554. QUESTION: The tip-of-tongue phenomenon is due to a difficulty in _____

A. encoding
B. storage
C. retrieval
D. working memory

CORRECT ANSWER IS: retrieval

1555. QUESTION: "One is a bun. Two is a shoe. Three is a tree. Four is a door." This is part of the _____ method of improving memory

A. Loci
B. visual imagery
C. flashbulb
D. peg-word

CORRECT ANSWER IS: peg-word

1556. QUESTION: According to decay theory, forgetting is due to a/an

A. consolidation problem
B. availability problem
C. encoding problem
D. retrieval problem

CORRECT ANSWER IS: availability problem

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1557. QUESTION: Remembering precisely where you were, and what you were doing, when you first heard shocking news about a national event or the death of a close relative is characteristic of _____ memory

A. eidetic
B. iconic
C. echoic
D. flashbulb

CORRECT ANSWER IS: flashbulb

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1558. QUESTION: Performance of an earlier task is interfered with by the learning of a second, more recent task in

A. proactive facilitation
B. proactive inhibition
C. retroactive facilitation
D. retroactive inhibition

CORRECT ANSWER IS: retroactive inhibition

1559. QUESTION: The fact that we remember only the main details in a story and retell it with various "filters" is supportive of which theory?

A. reconstructive
B. reappearance
C. regressive
D. free recall

CORRECT ANSWER IS: reconstructive

1560. QUESTION: After finding her friend's phone number, Zahra was able to remember it only long enough to dial it correctly. In this case, the telephone number was clearly stored in her _____ memory

A. iconic
B. short-term
C. flashbulb
D. implicit

CORRECT ANSWER IS:

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1561. QUESTION: Echoic memory refers to

A. the encoded meanings of words and events in long-term memory
B. a vivid memory of an emotionally significant event
C. the automatic retention of incidental information about the timing and frequency of events
D. a momentary sensory memory of auditory stimuli

CORRECT ANSWER IS: a momentary sensory memory of auditory stimuli

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1562. QUESTION: Retroactive interference involves the disruption of

A. encoding
B. storage
C. retrieval
D. all of the above

CORRECT ANSWER IS: retrieval

1563. QUESTION: In general, the best way to remember information is to

A. repeat it over and over
B. try to understand it
C. look at it once and put it away for a while
D. make your mind blank and meditate on it

CORRECT ANSWER IS: try to understand it

1564. QUESTION: Recall may be more difficult than recognition because it requires people to supply their own

A. retrieval cues
B. prototypes
C. features
D. context

CORRECT ANSWER IS: retrieval cues

1565. QUESTION: In order, the sequence of steps in the PRTR method is

A. preview, review, think actively, read
B. plan, read, take notes, review
C. preview, read, think actively, review
D. plan, review, take notes, read

CORRECT ANSWER IS: preview, read, think actively, review

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1566. QUESTION: The conscious repetition of information in order to maintain it in memory is called

A. automatic processing
B. rehearsal
C. priming
D. chunking

CORRECT ANSWER IS: rehearsal

1567. QUESTION: The way the mind processes, stores, and retrieves information is the primary concern of the _____ perspective

A. evolutionary
B. social-culture
C. behavioral
D. cognitive

CORRECT ANSWER IS: cognitive

1568. QUESTION: One of the most effective ways to remember information is to make personal sense of it. This process is called

A. maintenance
B. repetition
C. elaboration
D. chunking

CORRECT ANSWER IS: elaboration

1569. QUESTION: "The magical number seven, plus or minus two" refers to the storage capacity of _____ memory

A. short-term
B. explicit
C. flashbulb
D. implicit

CORRECT ANSWER IS: short-term

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1570. QUESTION: The encoding-specificity principle suggest that the more effective retrieval cue is

A. one that was prominent at the time an item was encoded
B. one associated with the fewest items in memory
C. one that the subject specifically attempts to use a retrieval cue
D. one that was noted after the item was encoded

CORRECT ANSWER IS: one that was prominent at the time an item was encoded

1571. QUESTION: A major principle underlying the PRTR study method is that

A. people learn and remember material best when actively process it
B. many students overestimate their mastery of textbook and lecture material
C. study time should be spread over time rather than crammed into one session
D. "over learning" disrupts efficient retention

CORRECT ANSWER IS: people learn and remember material best when actively process it

1572. QUESTION: The finding that people who sleep after learning a list of nonsense syllables forget less than people who stay awake provides evidence that forgetting may involve

A. encoding failure
B. repression
C. implicit memory loss
D. interference

CORRECT ANSWER IS: interference

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1573. QUESTION: Which of the following best describes the principle forgetting curve?

A. a steady, slow decline in retention
B. a steady, rapid decline in retention
C. a rapid initial decline in retention becoming stable thereafter
D. a slow initial decline in retention becoming rapid thereafter

CORRECT ANSWER IS: a rapid initial decline in retention becoming stable thereafter

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1574. QUESTION: The efficiency of memory can be increased if we organize information so that the amount of information in each unit increases while the number of separate units decreases. This process is called

A. chunking
B. rehearsal
C. encoding
D. retrieval

CORRECT ANSWER IS: chunking

1575. QUESTION: Retrieval cues are to priming as rehearsal is to

A. imagery
B. chunking
C. encoding
D. repression

CORRECT ANSWER IS: encoding

1576. QUESTION: People tend to recall better if tested in the same environment in which they originally learned the information. This is known as

A. state-dependent memory
B. verbatim recall
C. context-dependent memory
D. proactive memory

CORRECT ANSWER IS: context-dependent memory

1577. QUESTION: Compulsive gamblers frequently recall losing less money than is actually the case. Their memory failure best illustrates

A. proactive interference
B. the serial position effect
C. the next-in-line effect
D. motivated forgetting

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: motivated forgetting

1578. QUESTION: In an experiment to determine the effects of attention on memory, memory is the

A. control condition
B. intervening variable
C. independent variable
D. dependent variable

CORRECT ANSWER IS: dependent variable

1579. QUESTION: Which type of memory has an essentially unlimited storage capacity?

A. echoic memory
B. short-term memory
C. state-dependent memory
D. long-term memory

CORRECT ANSWER IS: long-term memory

1580. QUESTION: Which of the following measures of retention is the best sensitive in triggering retrieval?

A. recall
B. relearning
C. recognition
D. d?j? vu

CORRECT ANSWER IS: recall

1581. QUESTION: Suppose subjects are asked to listen to the following list of letters and then to repeat then in order, I, n, t, r, o, p, s, y, c, h. Subjects who perform the task most accurately and with least apparent effort probably have

A. chunked the letters into two recognizable word fragments
B. used the key word method of study
C. used maintenance rehearsal
D. taken advantage of the primacy effect

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: chunked the letters into two recognizable word fragments

1582. QUESTION: Repression involves a failure in

A. encoding
B. storage
C. retrieval
D. all of the above

CORRECT ANSWER IS: retrieval

1583. QUESTION: In the phenomena of context and state-dependent memories, context and state provide

A. features
B. prototypes
C. levels of processing
D. interval cues

CORRECT ANSWER IS: interval cues

1584. QUESTION: The impact of over-learning on retention best illustrates the value of

A. the method of loci
B. automatic processing
C. chunking
D. rehearsal

CORRECT ANSWER IS: rehearsal

1585. QUESTION: Dr. Shahneela is studying how memory changes as people get older. She is most likely a/an _____ psychologist

A. social
B. cognitive
C. development
D. experimental

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: development

1586. QUESTION: According to the serial position effect, when recalling a list of words you should have the greatest difficulty with those

A. at the beginning of the list
B. at the end of the list
C. at and beginning and the end of the list
D. in the middle of the list

CORRECT ANSWER IS: in the middle of the list

1587. QUESTION: Research with digit span has shown that most people can repeat correctly about seven digits and that

A. one individual increased his span to about 80 digits by chunking digits
B. extensive practice can lead to only small increase in digit span
C. heredity plays a large role in digit span
D. people who remember a large number of digits have faster reaction times

CORRECT ANSWER IS: one individual increased his span to about 80 digits by chunking digits

1588. QUESTION: Remembering how to solve a jigsaw puzzle without any conscious recollection that one can do so best illustrates _____ memory

A. explicit
B. flashbulb
C. sensory
D. implicit

CORRECT ANSWER IS: implicit

1589. QUESTION: Hypnosis causes subjects to be more

A. susceptible to misleading information
B. able to concentrate and thus better able to remember
C. careful in separating fact from inference

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D. hesitant and less confident about what they remember

CORRECT ANSWER IS: susceptible to misleading information

1590. QUESTION: Memories of traumatic physical abuse are most unlikely to be

A. encoded
B. repressed
C. rehearsed
D. retrieved

CORRECT ANSWER IS: repressed

1591. QUESTION: The three steps in memory information processing are

A. input, processing, output
B. input, storage, output
C. input, storage, retrieval
D. encoding, storage, retrieval

CORRECT ANSWER IS: encoding, storage, retrieval

1592. QUESTION: Our inability to remember information presented in the seconds just before we fell asleep is most likely due to

A. encoding failure
B. the misinformation effect
C. retroactive interference
D. motivated forgetting

CORRECT ANSWER IS: encoding failure

1593. QUESTION: The term schema refers to

A. a proposition
B. a control process in long-term memory
C. the mental representation of a concept

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D. the hierarchical organization of information

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the mental representation of a concept

1594. QUESTION: The decay of fading of memory with time is considered to be a failure in

A. encoding
B. storage
C. retrieval
D. all of the above

CORRECT ANSWER IS: storage

1595. QUESTION: Craik and Watkins gave subjects a list of words to be recalleD. When subjects were tested after a delay, the items what were best recalled were those

A. in the middle of the list
B. at the beginning of the list
C. at the end of the list
D. at the beginning and the end of the list

CORRECT ANSWER IS: at the beginning of the list

1596. QUESTION: Memory of facts is to _____ as memory of skills is to _____

A. brain stem, hippocampus
B. explicit memory, implicit memory
C. automatic processing, effortful processing
D. short term memory, long term memory

CORRECT ANSWER IS: explicit memory, implicit memory

1597. QUESTION: Recalling childhood birthdays is an example of which type of memory?

A. episodic
B. implicit
C. procedural

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D. semantic

CORRECT ANSWER IS: episodic

1598. QUESTION: Visual sensory memory is referred to as

A. iconic memory
B. photomemory
C. echoic memory
D. semantic memory

CORRECT ANSWER IS: iconic memory

1599. QUESTION: Suppose your representation of the concept "dog" is based on observations such as "has fur", "has four legs" and "barks". This would be most consistent with the

A. analogue theory
B. prototype theory
C. feature theory
D. both b and c

CORRECT ANSWER IS: feature theory

1600. QUESTION: The tendency to immediately recall the first and last items in a list better than the middle items is known as the ____ effect

A. next-in-line
B. misinformation
C. serial position
D. spacing

CORRECT ANSWER IS: serial position

1601. QUESTION: Repression is an example of

A. encoding failure
B. memory decay

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C. motivated forgetting
D. all of the above

CORRECT ANSWER IS: motivated forgetting

1602. QUESTION: The process of interference can lead to a failure in

A. encoding
B. storage
C. retrieval
D. any of the above

CORRECT ANSWER IS: any of the above

1603. QUESTION: People's knowledge of their own past experiences is considered _____ information

A. procedural
B. episodic
C. semantic
D. conceptual

CORRECT ANSWER IS: episodic

1604. QUESTION: When an eyewitness to an auto accident is asked to describe what happened, which test of memory is being utilized?

A. recall
B. recognition
C. rehearsal
D. reconstruction

CORRECT ANSWER IS: recall

1605. QUESTION: A general mental representation of the sequence of events normally involved in going to a restaurant would be an example of

A. a script

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B. a context-dependent memory
C. a proposition
D. an episodic memory

CORRECT ANSWER IS: a script

1606. QUESTION: The greatest interference occurs when old and new material are

A. learned through disturbed practice
B. each learned on separate days
C. automatically processed
D. similar to each other

CORRECT ANSWER IS: similar to each other

1607. QUESTION: Echoic memories fade after approximately

A. 1 hour
B. 1 minute
C. 30 seconds
D. 1 second

CORRECT ANSWER IS: 1 second

1608. QUESTION: Children can better remember an ancient Latin verse if the definition of each unfamiliar Latin word is carefully explained to them. This best illustrates the value of

A. iconic memory
B. measuring in coding
C. the method of Loci
D. automatic processing

CORRECT ANSWER IS: measuring in coding

1609. QUESTION: Semantic memory and episodic memory are classes of

A. short-term memory

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B. iconic memory
C. explicit memory
D. implicit memory

CORRECT ANSWER IS: explicit memory

1610. QUESTION: The model of the mind proposes that memory consists of three stores, called the

A. sensory store, pre-attentive store and long-term store
B. sensory store, short-term store and long-term store
C. short-term store, working store and semantic store
D. ionic store, echoic store and working store

CORRECT ANSWER IS: sensory store, short-term store and long-term store

1611. QUESTION: Our ability to find information in memory on the basis of color, function, and many other characteristics indicates that

A. memory is divided into short-term and long-term stores
B. memory is more like a supermarket than a dictionary
C. the mind is capable of organizing information in a vast number of ways
D. retrieving information from long-term memory is a learned skill

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the mind is capable of organizing information in a vast number of ways

1612. QUESTION: Which test of memory typically provides the fewest retrieval cues?

A. recognition
B. recall
C. relearning
D. rehearsal

CORRECT ANSWER IS: recall

1613. QUESTION: Which of the following is not a measure of retention?

A. recall

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B. recognition
C. relearning
D. retrieval

CORRECT ANSWER IS: retrieval

1614. QUESTION: Suppose you are concentrating on your work when your father asks you a question. You say, "What?", but before the question is repeated, you "rehear" it. Presumably, you retrieve the memory from your?

A. working store
B. sensory store
C. short-term store
D. long-term store

CORRECT ANSWER IS: sensory store

1615. QUESTION: We are more likely to remember the words "typewriter, cigarette and fire" than the words "void, process and inherent" because the first three words are more likely to be _____ encoded

A. automatically
B. visually
C. proactively
D. implicitly

CORRECT ANSWER IS: visually

1616. QUESTION: The word meanings and other general knowledge stored in a person's memory are considered _____ information

A. episodic
B. procedural
C. semantic
D. pre-attentive

CORRECT ANSWER IS: semantic

1617. QUESTION: Aristotle's principle association by contiguity refers to our ability to recall

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A. objects commonly associated with a named object
B. the characteristics of a named object
C. events that commonly follow or precede a named event
D. all of the above

CORRECT ANSWER IS: all of the above

1618. QUESTION: Which of the following was not recommended as a strategy for improving memory?

A. active rehearsal
B. distributive study
C. speed reading
D. encoding meaningful associations

CORRECT ANSWER IS: speed reading

1619. QUESTION: Words, events, places and emotions that trigger our memory of the past are called

A. context effects
B. iconic traces
C. retrieval cues
D. schemas

CORRECT ANSWER IS: retrieval cues

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1620. QUESTION: Our short-term memory span is approximately _____ items

A. 2
B. 5
C. 7
D. 10

CORRECT ANSWER IS: 7

1621. QUESTION: Compared to other memory stores, the sensory store is considered to have

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A. low capacity for information and short duration
B. low capacity for information and long duration
C. high capacity for information and short duration
D. high capacity for information and high duration

CORRECT ANSWER IS: high capacity for information and short duration

1622. QUESTION: If you hear the word car, you might immediately think of tyres, headlights, steering, wheel and other elements of a car. This observation is the basis for

A. the principle of association by similarity
B. the principle of free association
C. the concept of iconic memory
D. the principle of association by contiguity

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the principle of association by contiguity

1623. QUESTION: A mnemonic device is a

A. mental picture
B. test or measure of memory
C. technique of encoding language sounds
D. memory aid

CORRECT ANSWER IS: memory aid

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1624. QUESTION: Your knowledge that automobile emissions contribute to air pollution is an example of _____ memory, which is subclass of _____ memory

A. semantic, implicit
B. semantic, explicit
C. episodic, implicit
D. episodic, explicit

CORRECT ANSWER IS: semantic, explicit

1625. QUESTION: Iconic memory is another name for _____ memory and has been found to last _____

A. visual sensory, about half a minute
B. visual sensory, less than 1 second
C. auditory sensory, up to 3 seconds
D. auditory sensory, about 1 minute

CORRECT ANSWER IS: visual sensory, less than 1 second

1626. QUESTION: Memory techniques such as method of loci, acronyms and the peg-word system are called

A. consolidation devices
B. imagery techniques
C. encoding strategies
D. mnemonic devices

CORRECT ANSWER IS: mnemonic devices

1627. QUESTION: The misinformation effect best illustrates the dynamics of

A. memory construction
B. automatic processing
C. repression
D. proactive interference

CORRECT ANSWER IS: memory construction

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1628. QUESTION: Hermann Ebbinghaus plotted forgetting curves to represent his performance at recalling nonsense syllables. He found that

A. forgetting takes place gradually, with about the same amount being forgotten each day over the tested period
B. most forgetting takes place soon after learning, with the rate of forgetting becoming more and more gradual after that
C. the rate of forgetting is quite modest at first, but then gradually increases as time goes on
D. forgetting does not begin to occur until several weeks after original learning when recall performance declines rapidly

CORRECT ANSWER IS: most forgetting takes place soon after learning, with the rate of forgetting becoming more and more gradual after that

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1629. QUESTION: Cognitive psychologists often liken the short-term store of the mind to which part of a computer?

A. the keyboard
B. the printer
C. the central processing unit
D. the monitor

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the central processing unit

1630. QUESTION: When you perform a learned skill or a habitual response, you are calling on _____ memory

A. semantic
B. procedural
C. episodic
D. declarative

CORRECT ANSWER IS: procedural

1631. QUESTION: As an aid to memorizing lengthy speeches, ancient Greek orators would visualize themselves moving through familiar locations. They were making use of

A. the serial position effect
B. the method of loci
C. implicitly memory
D. the next-in-line effect

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the method of loci

1632. QUESTION: One way to increase the amount of information in memory is to group it into larger, familiar units. This process is referred to as

A. consolidation
B. organization
C. memory construction
D. chunking

CORRECT ANSWER IS: chunking

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1633. QUESTION: The process that controls the flow of information from the sensory store into the short-term store is

A. encoding
B. attention
C. retrieval
D. rehearsal

CORRECT ANSWER IS: attention

1634. QUESTION: Subjects were given a list of nonsense syllables to memorize. Subjects in group A slept for several hours immediately after studying the list and were tested soon after waking. Subjects in group B engaged in normal, waking activity for several hours after studying the list, and then were testeD. The result was that

A. group A forgot more items than group B, supporting the decay theory of forgetting
B. group A remembered more items than group B, supporting the interference theory of forgetting
C. group B forgot more items than group A, supporting the primacy effect on memory
D. group B remembered more items than group A, supporting the encoding specificity principle of memory

CORRECT ANSWER IS: group A remembered more items than group B, supporting the interference theory of forgetting

1635. QUESTION: Policed interrogators have been trained to ask less suggestive and more open-ended questions in order to avoid

A. long-term potentiating
B. mood-congruent memory
C. the misinformation effect
D. proactive interference

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the misinformation effect

1636. QUESTION: The process of getting information out of memory storage is known as

A. encoding
B. retrieval
C. rehearsal
D. storage

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: retrieval

1637. QUESTION: The knowledge that enables a cricketer to execute powerful sixes would be an example of _____ information

A. procedural
B. semantic
C. episodic
D. declarative

CORRECT ANSWER IS: procedural

1638. QUESTION: The process that controls the movement of information from the short-term store into the long-term store is

A. retrieval
B. attention
C. encoding
D. recall

CORRECT ANSWER IS: encoding

1639. QUESTION: In order to remember to buy sugar, honey, organs and potatoes the next time he goes grocery shopping, Nabil forms the word "shop" with the first letter of each item. He is using a memory aid known as

A. chunking
B. the spacing effect
C. the serial position effect
D. the method of loci

CORRECT ANSWER IS: chunking

1640. QUESTION: Kendell and Schwartz have found that when learning occurs, more of the neurotransmitter _____ is released into synapses

A. Ach

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B. dopamine
C. serotonin
D. noradrenaline

CORRECT ANSWER IS: serotonin

1641. QUESTION: Suppose you are filling out a credit-card application that asks for your previous and current addresses. You cannot remember your previous address because your new address keeps intruding, a problem known as

A. retroactive interference
B. proactive interference
C. a recency effect
D. the feature theory

CORRECT ANSWER IS: retroactive interference

1642. QUESTION: Amnesic patients generally experience disruption of

A. implicit memories
B. explicit memories
C. iconic memories
D. echoic memories

CORRECT ANSWER IS: explicit memories

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1643. QUESTION: The distributive effect of prior learning on the recall of new information is called

A. state-dependent memory
B. retroactive interference
C. the spacing effect
D. proactive interference

CORRECT ANSWER IS: proactive interference

1644. QUESTION: Implicit memories are extremely dependent on

A. the immediate situation

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B. primacy and recency effects
C. the availability of adequate attentional resources
D. a carefully constructed retrieval strategy

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the immediate situation

1645. QUESTION: New information in the short-term store _____ pass on to the _____

A. must, working store
B. may or may not, working store
C. must, long-term store
D. may or may not, long-term store

CORRECT ANSWER IS: may or may not, long-term store

1646. QUESTION: The effects of memory interference are greatest when the two sets of items are

A. similar in nature
B. dissimilar in nature
C. learned in different contexts
D. unusual

CORRECT ANSWER IS: similar in nature

1647. QUESTION: A momentary sensory memory of visual stimuli is called _____ memory

A. iconic
B. implicit
C. echoic
D. flashbulb

CORRECT ANSWER IS: iconic

1648. QUESTION: Studies demonstrate that learning causes permanent neural changes in the _____ of animals' neurons

A. myelin

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B. cell bodies
C. synapses
D. all of the above

CORRECT ANSWER IS: synapses

1649. QUESTION: Complete this analogy, "fill in the blanks test questions are to multiple-choice questions" as

A. encoding is to storage
B. storage is to encoding
C. recognition is to recall
D. recall is to recognition

CORRECT ANSWER IS: recall is to recognition

1650. QUESTION: Ajwad so easily remembers his old friend's telephone number that he finds it difficult to recall his new friend's number. Ajwad's difficulty best illustrates

A. retroactive interference
B. state-dependent memory
C. proactive interference
D. repression

CORRECT ANSWER IS: proactive interference

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1651. QUESTION: The logical flow of though depends in largely part on _____ which is a type of _____

A. conceptual priming, implicit memory
B. conceptual priming, explicit memory
C. perceptual priming, implicit memory
D. perceptual priming, explicit memory

CORRECT ANSWER IS: conceptual priming, implicit memory

1652. QUESTION: In order to recite a poem you learned in primary school, you must retrieve it from the _____ and put it to use in the _____

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A. echoic store, long-term store
B. long-term store, short-term store
C. long-term store, echoic store
D. pre-attentive store, attentive store

CORRECT ANSWER IS: long-term store, short-term store

1653. QUESTION: Imagine that you plan to give subjects two lists of items to remember, if the first is a list of pets and you want to minimize interference between the lists, which of the following would be the worst topic for the second list

A. common zoo animals
B. other pets
C. farm animals
D. furniture

CORRECT ANSWER IS: other pets

1654. QUESTION: Memory for skills is called

A. explicit memory
B. semantic memory
C. episodic memory
D. implicit memory

CORRECT ANSWER IS: implicit memory

1655. QUESTION: After learning the combination for his new CNIC No. Mehboob is unable to remember the combination for his National Tax Number. Mehboob is experiencing the effects of

A. encoding failure
B. state-dependent memory
C. retroactive interference
D. proactive interference

CORRECT ANSWER IS: retroactive interference

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1656. QUESTION: Which of the following sequences would be best to follow if you wanted to minimize interference-induced forgetting in order to improve your recall on the psychology midterm?

A. study, eat, test
B. study, sleep, test
C. study, listen to music, test
D. study, exercise, test

CORRECT ANSWER IS: study, sleep, test

1657. QUESTION: Free recall tests of list learning show that items presented early are recalled

A. poorly, because they have been followed by other items
B. well, because they are rehearsed more than later items and are likely to be encoded into long-term memory
C. poorly, because they are unlikely to be in short-term memory when the test is given
D. poorly, for the reasons given in both a and b

CORRECT ANSWER IS: well, because they are rehearsed more than later items and are likely to be encoded into long-term memory

1658. QUESTION: A multiple-choice question like this one tests _____ while a fill-in question tests

A. primacy, recency
B. recency, primacy
C. recognition, recall
D. recall, recognition

CORRECT ANSWER IS: recognition, recall

1659. QUESTION: Explicit memory is to long-term memory as iconic memory is to _____ memory

A. flashbulb
B. short-term
C. sensory
D. implicit

CORRECT ANSWER IS: sensory

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1660. QUESTION: A your high school reunion you cannot remember the last name of your class teacher. Your failure to remember is most likely the result of

A. encoding failure
B. storage failure
C. retrieval failure
D. state-dependent memory

CORRECT ANSWER IS: retrieval failure

1661. QUESTION: Which type of memory has both the greatest capacity and the longest duration?

A. sensory memory
B. short-term memory
C. long-term memory
D. working memory

CORRECT ANSWER IS: long-term memory

1662. QUESTION: The capacity of short-term memory can be increased through

A. chunking
B. attention
C. rehearsal
D. selective encoding

CORRECT ANSWER IS: chunking

1663. QUESTION: Which of the following types of memory is most resistant to destruction?

A. episodic memory
B. metamemory
C. semantic memory
D. procedural memory

CORRECT ANSWER IS: procedural memory

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1664. QUESTION: A student who has studied German in high school, takes a course in French in college and now has trouble remembering the German. This is an example of the effects of

A. retroactive interference
B. proactive interference
C. state-dependent learning
D. encoding specificity

CORRECT ANSWER IS: retroactive interference

1665. QUESTION: Army personal cannot remember the details of the torture he experienced as a prisoner of war. According to Freud, failure to remember these painful memories is an example of

A. repression
B. retrieval failure
C. state-dependent memory
D. flashbulb memory

CORRECT ANSWER IS: repression

1666. QUESTION: A person's memory of his wedding would be stored in _____ memory

A. semantic
B. autobiographical
C. metamemory
D. procedural

CORRECT ANSWER IS: autobiographical

1667. QUESTION: Repeating a person's name over and over immediately after being introduced is an example of

A. chunking
B. elaboration
C. a mnemonic device
D. maintenance rehearsal

CORRECT ANSWER IS: maintenance rehearsal

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1668. QUESTION: Which of the following is not a mnemonic device?

A. method of Loci
B. narrative chaining
C. elaborative rehearsal
D. key word method

CORRECT ANSWER IS: elaborative rehearsal

1669. QUESTION: Which of the following is not a correct match?

A. fill-in test item-recall
B. essay test item-recognition
C. multiple choice test item-recognition
D. true-false test item-recognition

CORRECT ANSWER IS: essay test item-recognition

1670. QUESTION: To help him remember the order of ingredients in difficult recipes, master chef Zakir often associates them with the route he walks to work each day. Zakir is using which mnemonic technique?

A. peg-word system
B. acronyms
C. the method of Loci
D. chunking

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the method of Loci

1671. QUESTION: If you prepare for your next psychology exam by studying for several short periods separated by rest periods or breaks, you are using

A. massed practice
B. distributed practice
C. cramming
D. elaborative rehearsal

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: distributed practice

1672. QUESTION: In regard to long-term memory, most psychologist believe that

A. all information stored in long-term memory is there until we die
B. long term memories are largely reconstruction from the original information
C. people don't remember anything that happened before age three
D. memory failure involves permanent forgetting, not just retrieval failure

CORRECT ANSWER IS: all information stored in long-term memory is there until we die

1673. QUESTION: Alan Baddeley is one of the leading figures in research on

A. working memory
B. implicit memory
C. semantic memory
D. procedural memory

CORRECT ANSWER IS: working memory

1674. QUESTION: The type of memory with large capacity and brief duration is

A. sensory memory
B. short-term memory
C. working memory
D. long-term memory

CORRECT ANSWER IS: sensory memory

1675. QUESTION: Words like angel, redwood, and vehicle are easier to retrieve than words like political, religious, and betrayal because

A. they are shorter words
B. they are more meaningful words
C. they lend themselves better to the use of mental images
D. they don't require elaborative rehearsal techniques to transfer to long-term memory

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: they are more meaningful words

1676. QUESTION: Chess players are able to remember in great detail the positions of chess pieces on a chess board as long as the positions are related to actual chess games. The best explanation for this is their use of

A. massed practice
B. schemas
C. mnemonic devices
D. the encoding specificity principle

CORRECT ANSWER IS: schemas

1677. QUESTION: To store information in long-term memory, one should use

A. attention
B. maintained rehearsal
C. elaborative rehearsal
D. repetition

CORRECT ANSWER IS: elaborative rehearsal

1678. QUESTION: A sixth grade student needs to learn the colors of the rainbow in the correct order for a test. Why would learning "ROY-G-BIV" be helpful?

A. it can be more easily visualized
B. it is less susceptible to retroactive inhibition
C. it uses fewer pieces of information
D. it invokes the Zeigarnik effect

CORRECT ANSWER IS: it uses fewer pieces of information

1679. QUESTION: Which of the following represents the correct sequence of events for the process of memory?

A. encoding-retrieving-storing
B. storing-retrieving-encoding
C. retrieving-storing-encoding
D. encoding-storing-retrieving

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: encoding-storing-retrieving

1680. QUESTION: The Ebbinghaus curve:

A. shows a gradual drop in retention followed by a steep decline
B. shows a steep initial drop in retention followed by a gradual decline
C. shows an S-shaped pattern
D. shows higher retention for rote learning that for concept learning

CORRECT ANSWER IS: shows a steep initial drop in retention followed by a gradual decline

1681. QUESTION: In considering the nature of intelligence, experts would be most likely to agree that intelligence is a/an

A. inborn ability to perform well on standard intelligence tests
B. capacity for goal-directed adaptive behavior
C. general trait that underlies success on nearly any task
D. multiple array of completely independent adaptive capacities

CORRECT ANSWER IS: capacity for goal-directed adaptive behavior

1682. QUESTION: The word "bugs" consist of

A. one morpheme and three phonemes
B. one morpheme and four phonemes
C. two morphemes and three phonemes
D. two morphemes and four phonemes

CORRECT ANSWER IS: two morphemes and four phonemes

1683. QUESTION: Which of the following terms is associated with Henry Murray and the Thematic Appreciation Test?

A. need to achieve
B. authoritarianism
C. locus of control
D. belief in just world

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: need to achieve

1684. QUESTION: Not among the elements that Thurston found comprising intelligence is

A. verbal comprehension
B. memory
C. space visualization
D. creative problem solving

CORRECT ANSWER IS: creative problem solving

1685. QUESTION: Eidetic imagery is

A. a step in mathematical thought
B. a clear visual memory
C. most prominent among elderly persons
D. highly correlated with general intelligence

CORRECT ANSWER IS: a clear visual memory

1686. QUESTION: According to Guilford, divergent thinking requires

A. one solution
B. arithmetic reasoning
C. fluency of ideas
D. categorization

CORRECT ANSWER IS: fluency of ideas

1687. QUESTION: Impaired language comprehension following a stroke would most probably be diagnosed as

A. dyslexia
B. aphagia
C. Wernicke's
D. Broca's aphasia

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Wernicke's

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1688. QUESTION: Musa is attractive and assertive. He arrives at work on time each day, and never complains. When his coworkers are asked to assess Musa's intelligence, they consistently rate him much higher than his scores on intelligence test. This is an example of

A. the mere exposure effect
B. the halo effect
C. the placebo effect
D. the fundamental attribution error

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the halo effect

1689. QUESTION: Which one of the following statements about IQ scores is true?

A. the highest validity is found in early IQ test scores
B. there is a negative correlation between early and later test scores
C. the highest reliability and lowest validity are found in early test scores
D. there is virtually no predictive validity between scores obtained prior to age two and those obtained at a later age

CORRECT ANSWER IS: there is virtually no predictive validity between scores obtained prior to age two and those obtained at a later age

1690. QUESTION: The groupthink process is not characterized by

A. inhuman solution
B. critical thinking
C. restricted discussion
D. group cohesiveness

CORRECT ANSWER IS: critical thinking

1691. QUESTION: In the present intelligence classification system, the former category of moron would now be included within

A. mildly retarded
B. trainable
C. severely retarded

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D. profoundly retarded

CORRECT ANSWER IS: mildly retarded

1692. QUESTION: Conjunctive, disjunctive and relational concepts refer to

A. simple concepts
B. complex concepts
C. percepts
D. imagery concepts

CORRECT ANSWER IS: complex concepts

1693. QUESTION: In order to solve a particular problem, subjects must use a hammer and a nail as units of measurement. This experiment is most directly concerned with

A. demand characteristics
B. crystallized intelligence
C. functional fixedness
D. semantic priming

CORRECT ANSWER IS: functional fixedness

1694. QUESTION: "The Measurement of Adult Intelligence" was written by

A. Binet
B. Skinner
C. Guilford
D. Wechsler

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Wechsler

1695. QUESTION: The performance of which of the following activities is least likely to be facilitated by the presence of an audience?

A. running
B. adding numbers

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C. taking a final examination
D. memorizing a script

CORRECT ANSWER IS: memorizing a script

1696. QUESTION: A two-sided communication is best defined as a communication

A. from both a high and low credibility source
B. in which a person argues a position contrary to his own beliefs
C. which includes arguments both for and against a position
D. which includes both the image and the sound of the communicator

CORRECT ANSWER IS: which includes arguments both for and against a position

1697. QUESTION: In screening application whose employment would involve winding small electronic coils. Which of the following would be most useful?

A. intelligence tests
B. pursuit rotor
C. finger dexterity test
D. electrical knowledge tests

CORRECT ANSWER IS: finger dexterity test

1698. QUESTION: Concurrent validity is demonstrated by which of the following?

A. examining of test content by a panel of experts
B. correlating scores with a test taker's general performance in other areas
C. correlating scores on two halves of the same test
D. correlating a given test with other established tests in the field

CORRECT ANSWER IS: correlating a given test with other established tests in the field

1699. QUESTION: The split-half procedure is a method of

A. sampling groups
B. measuring reliability

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C. rejecting the null hypothesis
D. assessing validity

CORRECT ANSWER IS: measuring reliability

1700. QUESTION: For Noam Chomsky, the semantic interpretation of a sentence comes from

A. surface structure
B. deep structure
C. divergent thinking
D. transformational rules

CORRECT ANSWER IS: deep structure

1701. QUESTION: According to Guilford's model of intelligence, which of the following is true?

A. the Standard-Binet test is wrong to use as a performance measure
B. intelligence consists of a specific set of traits that can be classified
C. intelligence is a unitary characteristic
D. intelligence is a function of experience, not of genetic endowment?

CORRECT ANSWER IS: intelligence consists of a specific set of traits that can be classified

1702. QUESTION: According to a subject's mental set, a hockey stick is used to hit a ball. However, in a problem solving task, the subject uses the hockey stick to prop open a door. This is an example of

A. functional fixedness
B. divergent thinking
C. inductive reasoning
D. deductive reasoning

CORRECT ANSWER IS: divergent thinking

1703. QUESTION: A personal selection test that requires previous knowledge and mastery of a given body of materials, in effect is

A. an aptitude test

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B. an achievement test
C. an intelligence test
D. a test of creativity

CORRECT ANSWER IS: an achievement test

1704. QUESTION: In contrast to the Stanford-Binet Scale, the Wechsler Scale

A. was developed through intensive child interviews
B. separates verbal from performance IQ
C. has a different standard deviation for each age group
D. utilizes the MA/CA - type computational formula

CORRECT ANSWER IS: separates verbal from performance IQ

1705. QUESTION: A study following the lives of gifted children may be classified as a

A. longitudinal study
B. true experiment
C. cross-sectional study
D. quasi-experiment

CORRECT ANSWER IS: longitudinal study

1706. QUESTION: Who hypothesized a general "g" factor to intelligence?

A. Robert Sternberg
B. David Wechsler
C. Louis Thurstone
D. Charles Spearman

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Charles Spearman

1707. QUESTION: Problem that have more than one correct solution require

A. divergent thinking
B. symbolic thought

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C. disjunctive thinking
D. convergent thinking

CORRECT ANSWER IS: divergent thinking

1708. QUESTION: Terman's study of gifted children would be considered

A. latitudinal
B. longitudinal
C. laboratory method
D. representational method

CORRECT ANSWER IS: longitudinal

1709. QUESTION: Having never seen sparrow before, Iffah identifies the sparrow as a bird because it has wings and birds have wings. This is an example of

A. a schema
B. a script
C. an algorithm
D. metacognition

CORRECT ANSWER IS: a schema

1710. QUESTION: Chomsky includes which one of the following in his explanation of grammar acquisition in children?

A. "programmed" nervous system
B. learned concept of human language
C. learned concept of language specific to one's culture
D. archetypal communication

CORRECT ANSWER IS: "programmed" nervous system

1711. QUESTION: Alferd Binet is famous for developing the first

A. adult intelligence test
B. child intelligence test

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C. fixed alternative test
D. projective test

CORRECT ANSWER IS: child intelligence test

1712. QUESTION: A researcher has just developed a new test of intelligence and wants to determine whether it is a valid measure. The new test is given to a large group of children and those same children are given a second, well-established IQ test. Scores children attained on each of the two tests are then compared through correlation. This procedure for determining the validity of the new test is labeled

A. content validity
B. concurrent validity
C. conjoint validity
D. test-related validity

CORRECT ANSWER IS: concurrent validity

1713. QUESTION: A morpheme may best be defined as

A. an orderly arrangement of words in a syntactical sequence
B. a single word used to convey a complex idea
C. the meaning of a word in any given context
D. the smallest unit of language that conveys a meaning

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the smallest unit of language that conveys a meaning

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1714. QUESTION: Reaction time

A. decreases with age up to approximately thirty years
B. decreases with age up to approximately forty years
C. increases with age up to approximately forty years
D. increases with age up to approximately thirty years

CORRECT ANSWER IS: decreases with age up to approximately thirty years

1715. QUESTION: Of the following tests, the most suitable for determining the IQ of most 12-year-old is the

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A. WISC
B. WAIS
C. WPPSI
D. CPI

CORRECT ANSWER IS: WISC

1716. QUESTION: Noor has been to Murree on three different weekends, and every time she has been there, it has raineD. Based on this information, Noor determines that it's always raining in Murree. This is an example of

A. divergent thinking
B. the availability heuristic
C. preservation
D. spreading activation

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the availability heuristic

1717. QUESTION: Intelligence tests for infants

A. sample the same abilities tested at later ages
B. provide initial information relating to aptitude
C. are not accurate predictors of later IQ
D. require no standardization

CORRECT ANSWER IS: are not accurate predictors of later IQ

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1718. QUESTION: Which one of the following is not true of the WAIS?

A. used with adults
B. block design
C. digit span
D. MA/CA*100

CORRECT ANSWER IS: MA/CA*100

1719. QUESTION: The babbling behavior of six month old infants:

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A. is similar for nearly all children including deaf infants
B. develops more slowly in children born to mute parents
C. is absent if the child is deaf
D. is more frequent and consistent in girls than in boys

CORRECT ANSWER IS: is similar for nearly all children including deaf infants

1720. QUESTION: When a testing organization includes instructions to be read verbatim to each test-talking group. The organization is concentrating upon

A. dependent variable
B. intervening variable
C. standardization
D. reliability

CORRECT ANSWER IS: standardization

1721. QUESTION: Which researcher developed the Culture Fair Intelligent Test?

A. Spearman
B. Raven
C. Cattell
D. Rorschach

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Cattell

1722. QUESTION: A psychological theoretician in the process of developing a theory would be most interested in test measures in terms of their

A. face validity
B. concurrent validity
C. construct validity
D. predictive validity

CORRECT ANSWER IS: construct validity

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1723. QUESTION: According to current psychological thinking, children's earliest sentences are considered telegraphic is the sense that

A. one utterance follows predictably from the next
B. many words and word endings are missing
C. meaning is often communicated in code-like personal idiom
D. we can infer knowledge of complex syntactic structures from such simple utterances

CORRECT ANSWER IS: many words and word endings are missing

1724. QUESTION: Phonemes are

A. measurements
B. syllables
C. the smallest units of meaningful sound
D. the smallest units of sound

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the smallest units of sound

1725. QUESTION: Intelligence tests are considered reliable

A. at any age
B. before 7 years of age
C. before puberty
D. before 20 years of age

CORRECT ANSWER IS: before 7 years of age

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1726. QUESTION: Suntax is concerned with

A. how phonemes are combined to make morphemes
B. how phonemes are combined to make words
C. how words are combined to make sentences
D. how sentences are combined to make paragraphs

CORRECT ANSWER IS: how words are combined to make sentences

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1727. QUESTION: The syllogism is a form appropriate to

A. inductive thinking
B. deductive thinking
C. evaluative thinking
D. divergent thinking

CORRECT ANSWER IS: deductive thinking

1728. QUESTION: Psychologists and educators have come to realize that creativity and intelligence

A. are synonymous
B. are not synonymous
C. are negatively correlated
D. appear as bimodal functions

CORRECT ANSWER IS: are not synonymous

1729. QUESTION: As a person fills in a number series such as 3, 6, 9, __, __, 18, he is engaging in the thinking process known as

A. extrapolation
B. interpolation
C. structuring
D. modeling

CORRECT ANSWER IS: interpolation

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1730. QUESTION: Which of the following is not one of the four basic components of language?

A. phonology
B. semantic
C. syntax
D. morphology

CORRECT ANSWER IS: morphology

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1731. QUESTION: To obtain norms for a testing measure, the test is first administered to a large group of the population on which this test will be useD. This group is known as the

A. test group
B. control group
C. construct sample
D. standardization sample

CORRECT ANSWER IS: standardization sample

1732. QUESTION: By obtaining two scores for one subject with just one test, a researcher achieves

A. test-retest reliability
B. alternate reliability
C. split-half reliability
D. parallel reliability

CORRECT ANSWER IS: split-half reliability

1733. QUESTION: Chomsky and Berko would be likely to agree that

A. use of halo phrases represents the first step in language acquisition
B. language is taught by waiting for certain verbalizations to occur and then rewarding them
C. cognitive development is driven by the internalization of interpersonal processes
D. certain innate structures for acquisition of language and grammar

CORRECT ANSWER IS: certain innate structures for acquisition of language and grammar

1734. QUESTION: Which of the following is primarily a verbal test?

A. WAIS
B. WISC
C. Blacky
D. Stanford-Binet

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Stanford-Binet

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1735. QUESTION: An IQ range of 20-35 would indicate what degree of retardation?

A. mild
B. moderate
C. severe
D. profound

CORRECT ANSWER IS: severe

1736. QUESTION: Which one of the following was developed by the Army as the first group-administered test of intelligence?

A. Otis
B. Beta
C. Alpha
D. Bender Gestalt

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Alpha

1737. QUESTION: Which of the following would probably acquire language the fastest?

A. a girl exposed to only one language
B. a boy exposed to only one language
C. a girl exposed to two language
D. a boy exposed to two language

CORRECT ANSWER IS: a girl exposed to only one language

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1738. QUESTION: In the hierarchical theory of intelligence which of the following is placed at the top of the hierarchy?

A. "s" factor
B. verbal-education
C. Spearman's g factor
D. general reasoning

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Spearman's g factor

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1739. QUESTION: Which is an advantage of group test?

A. reduction of cost
B. more reliable norms
C. more object scoring
D. all of the above

CORRECT ANSWER IS: all of the above

1740. QUESTION: According to _____, there is an inborn competence for language acquisition and a set of acquisition patterns that will be followed regardless of the culture in which one is born

A. Skinner
B. Mowrer
C. Chomsky
D. Gardner

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Chomsky

1741. QUESTION: An IQ of 59 on a standard IQ test would be classified as

A. mildly retarded
B. moderately retarded
C. severely retarded
D. profoundly retarded

CORRECT ANSWER IS: mildly retarded

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1742. QUESTION: In the Guilford model for problem solving, which of the following occurs first?

A. input
B. filtering
C. cognition
D. production

CORRECT ANSWER IS: input

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1743. QUESTION: If a person's score on the WAIS is one standard deviation below the mean, his IQ score would be at about what percentile

A. 2
B. 10
C. 16
D. 34

CORRECT ANSWER IS: 16

1744. QUESTION: "I am the smallest unit of sound, "p", "d", "k", I am _____"

A. a morpheme
B. a subject
C. a proposition
D. a phoneme

CORRECT ANSWER IS: a phoneme

1745. QUESTION: Chomsky theorized that human possess an innate ability to acquire language. He referred to this as

A. a deep structure
B. a language acquisition device
C. a fixed-action pattern
D. a transformational grammar

CORRECT ANSWER IS: a language acquisition device

1746. QUESTION: Which of the following problems would require divergent thinking?

A. adding a column of numbers
B. repairing a broken typewriter
C. choosing the best move in a card game
D. deciding whether to turn left or right at an intersection

CORRECT ANSWER IS: choosing the best move in a card game

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1747. QUESTION: Cattell considered crystallized intelligence to be a/an

A. developmental process
B. ability to deal with new problem
C. inability to deal with new problems
D. repertoire of information, cognitive skills, and strategies

CORRECT ANSWER IS: repertoire of information, cognitive skills, and strategies

1748. QUESTION: Language comprehension is associated with _____ area of the brain

A. Broca's
B. Gage's
C. Forester's
D. Wernicke's

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Wernicke's

1749. QUESTION: Which of the following psychologists were influential in the development of the intelligence test?

A. Henry Murray and Freud
B. Alferd Adler and Allport
C. Erik Erikson and Kurt Lewin
D. Alferd Binet and David Wechsler

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Alferd Binet and David Wechsler

1750. QUESTION: An ability that can be expected to continue improving after age of thirty-five is

A. numerical
B. manual
C. spatial reasoning
D. verbal comprehension

CORRECT ANSWER IS: verbal comprehension

1751. QUESTION: Guilford's model of intelligence is

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A. specifically graded toward the learning disabled
B. not based on unique, individual differences
C. a two-factor theory
D. a multiple-factor theory

CORRECT ANSWER IS: a multiple-factor theory

1752. QUESTION: The general Graduate Record Examination (GRE) is an example of a/an

A. aptitude test
B. achievement test
C. intelligence test
D. cross-cultural test

CORRECT ANSWER IS: aptitude test

1753. QUESTION: The main advantage of a heuristic over an algorithm is that a heuristic

A. involves metacognition
B. is faster than an algorithm
C. is an example of divergent thinking
D. avoids functional fixedness

CORRECT ANSWER IS: is faster than an algorithm

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1754. QUESTION: All cows are animals. All animals are living. Therefore, all cows are living.

A. heuristic
B. syllogism
C. logarithm
D. transformation

CORRECT ANSWER IS: syllogism

1755. QUESTION: To decide whether a two-digit number is divisible by 9, add the two digits. If they sum to 9, the number is divisible by 9. This is an example of a/an

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A. schema
B. prototype
C. syllogism
D. algorithm

CORRECT ANSWER IS: algorithm

1756. QUESTION: A test that measures what a person has already learned in prior training is an

A. aptitude test
B. objective test
C. achievement test
D. intelligence test

CORRECT ANSWER IS: achievement test

1757. QUESTION: According to the theories of Thomas Szasz,

A. IQ is determined mainly by genetic factors
B. neurotic behavior stems from disordered dearly parent/child relationship
C. schizophrenia usually results from chemical abnormalities
D. mental illness is largely a social and legal problem

CORRECT ANSWER IS: mental illness is largely a social and legal problem

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1758. QUESTION: What is the main disadvantage of cross-cultural tests?

A. reliability problem
B. predictive and diagnostic value is lost
C. they compare people of different cultures
D. all of the above

CORRECT ANSWER IS: predictive and diagnostic value is lost

1759. QUESTION: Which of the following is correct formula for a measure of intelligence quotient in children?

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A. IQ= CA/MA*100
B. IQ= MA/CA*100
C. IQ= CA/MA*110
D. IQ= MA/CA*110

CORRECT ANSWER IS: IQ= MA/CA*100

1760. QUESTION: Vygotsky is best known for his concept of

A. transformational grammar
B. zone of proximal development
C. psychosocial crises
D. strange situation

CORRECT ANSWER IS: zone of proximal development

1761. QUESTION: A young child learns that his father has two legs, spectacles, and is a bit balding. One day on the street, while passing a balding man, the child says, "Daddy". This is a case of

A. using an algorithm
B. using a semantic logarithm
C. over-generalizing
D. conceptual anomie

CORRECT ANSWER IS: over-generalizing

1762. QUESTION: Among the following, the most rigorous type of validity is

A. face
B. split-half
C. content
D. predictive

CORRECT ANSWER IS: predictive

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1763. QUESTION: A newly developed children's intelligence test is reported in the literature to be correlated +.25 with the Wechsler Intelligence Scale of Children Revised from (WISC-R). Which of the following statements provide the best assessment of the above information?

A. the new intelligence test has high criterion validity
B. the new intelligence test is relatively content-independent of the WISC-R
C. the new intelligence test has low concurrent validity
D. the new intelligence test has high reliability

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the new intelligence test has low concurrent validity

1764. QUESTION: Item analysis is essential to test construction because it provides

A. feedback on the effectiveness of the test
B. for construct validity in the test
C. for reliability in the test
D. for validity in the test

CORRECT ANSWER IS: feedback on the effectiveness of the test

1765. QUESTION: The statistical method used to elicit information concerning the component parts of intelligence is known as

A. factor analysis
B. construct analysis
C. Spearman's g factor
D. hypothesis testing

CORRECT ANSWER IS: factor analysis

1766. QUESTION: Thought models do not include

A. automatization
B. hierarchical network
C. spreading activation
D. parallel distributed processing

CORRECT ANSWER IS: automatization

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1767. QUESTION: In psychology, measurement device must be

A. reliable
B. valid
C. conclusive
D. both a and b

CORRECT ANSWER IS: both a and b

1768. QUESTION: The smallest meaningful units of a language are

A. tacts
B. morphologies
C. morphemes
D. phonemes

CORRECT ANSWER IS: morphemes

1769. QUESTION: Convergent and divergent thinking were first defined by

A. Herbert Simon
B. J. P. Guilford
C. Martin Seligman
D. Joseph Wolpe

CORRECT ANSWER IS: J. P. Guilford

1770. QUESTION: Which of the following factors would not affect the reliability of a test?

A. test length
B. test-retest interval
C. guessing
D. content of question

CORRECT ANSWER IS: content of question

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1771. QUESTION: According to Guilford's model of intelligence, how many dimensions of intelligence are there?

A. three dimensions
B. 180 dimensions
C. 120 dimensions
D. 10 dimensions

CORRECT ANSWER IS: three dimensions

1772. QUESTION: Which is the last of the pre-linguistic stages in a child's development of speech?

A. phonemes
B. basic cry
C. babbling
D. anagrammatic

CORRECT ANSWER IS: babbling

1773. QUESTION: If reliability is 0.00 which of the following is true?

A. the standard error of measurement is relatively high
B. the standard error of measurement is relatively low
C. the test is too long
D. validity is high

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the standard error of measurement is relatively high

1774. QUESTION: A rule of thumb for solving problems that is generally correct but may be imperfect is called a/an

A. heuristic
B. syllogism
C. algorithm
D. inference

CORRECT ANSWER IS: heuristic

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1775. QUESTION: Which of the following variables should be taken into account when a psychological test is to be administered?

A. tester's rapport with subjects
B. the subject's amount of anxiety
C. the subject's understanding of test directions
D. all of the above

CORRECT ANSWER IS: all of the above

1776. QUESTION: A test is termed homogeneous if

A. it is utilized on a homogeneous population
B. scores among heterogeneous populations tested look the same
C. the standard error of measurement indicates 0.0 error
D. one common factor underlies performance on all items in the test

CORRECT ANSWER IS: one common factor underlies performance on all items in the test

1777. QUESTION: Farid refuses to go to costume parties because he knows how people behave at such parties. He has likely developed which of the following about parties?

A. a prototype
B. a heuristic
C. a script
D. a divergence

CORRECT ANSWER IS: a script

1778. QUESTION: According to prototype theory, a prototype for a concept:

A. must contain most, but not all of the features necessary for definition within that class
B. is an eidetic image of a concept
C. must follow the principle advanced by Kohler
D. must follow the principle advanced by Rescorla

CORRECT ANSWER IS: must contain most, but not all of the features necessary for definition within that class

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1779. QUESTION: Schemata are

A. basic elements in color vision
B. diagrams of the respiratory system
C. plans for conducting experiments
D. cognitive structures in memory

CORRECT ANSWER IS: cognitive structures in memory

1780. QUESTION: The ability to quickly grasp relationships in novel situations and make correct deductions from them requires

A. crystallized intelligence
B. fluid intelligence
C. parallel processing
D. episodic memory

CORRECT ANSWER IS: fluid intelligence

1781. QUESTION: Sir Francis Galton greatly contributed to the field of psychology by developing the

A. first laboratory
B. phrenology movement
C. early neuro-anatomy procedures
D. first sensory-motor psychological tests

CORRECT ANSWER IS: first sensory-motor psychological tests

1782. QUESTION: When we think of an extrovert, we automatically think of person who is outgoing, assertive and talks a great deal. We do so because of

A. conformity
B. attribution bias
C. prototypes
D. prejudice

CORRECT ANSWER IS: prototypes

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1783. QUESTION: Which of the following could you legitimately predict for a person with an IQ of 150?

A. need for constant supervision
B. fifth-grade level of learning
C. entire life spent in an institution
D. high-school graduation if given special instruction

CORRECT ANSWER IS: fifth-grade level of learning

1784. QUESTION: The most important criterion of whether an individual should be considered retarded is that individual's

A. social competence
B. mental age
C. IQ
D. ability to learn to speak

CORRECT ANSWER IS: IQ

1785. QUESTION: The earliest stage of speech development is called the _____ stage

A. babbling
B. telegraphic speech
C. one-word
D. semantic

CORRECT ANSWER IS: babbling

1786. QUESTION: The SAT measures

A. aptitude but not achievement
B. achievement but no aptitude
C. both aptitude and achievement
D. neither achievement nor aptitude

CORRECT ANSWER IS: both aptitude and achievement

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1787. QUESTION: The intelligence scores of adopted children are least likely to correlate positively with the intelligence scores of their

A. adoptive parents
B. biological parents
C. biologically related siblings
D. biologically unrelated siblings

CORRECT ANSWER IS: adoptive parents

1788. QUESTION: A test of the capacity to learn a particular skill and to learn within a specific area of knowledge is called a/an

A. aptitude test
B. achievement test
C. projective test
D. acquisition test

CORRECT ANSWER IS: aptitude test

1789. QUESTION: The prototype of the modem intelligence test for children was first

A. Stanford
B. Terman
C. Binet
D. Wechsler

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Binet

1790. QUESTION: A person has just flipped a coin six times with heads resulting from each toss. The person now predicts with great certainty that the next toss will produce tails. This individual has just fallen prey to

A. an algorithm error
B. a reproductive thought error
C. the conjunction or "gambler's fallacy"
D. the deductive error

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: the conjunction or "gambler's fallacy"

1791. QUESTION: Children first begin to use sounds to communicate meaning during the _____ stages

A. babbling
B. two-word
C. telegraphic
D. one-word

CORRECT ANSWER IS: one-word

1792. QUESTION: A predisposition to behave in a particular way is called a/an

A. attitude
B. prototype
C. stereotype
D. orienting reflex

CORRECT ANSWER IS: attitude

1793. QUESTION: If a test is standardized, this means that

A. it accurately measures what it is indented to measure
B. a person's test performance can be compared with that of a pretested group
C. most test scores will cluster near the average
D. the test will yield consistent results when administered on different occasions

CORRECT ANSWER IS: a person's test performance can be compared with that of a pretested group

1794. QUESTION: The Binet Simon Scale was adapted for American use by:

A. Terman
B. Thurstone
C. Wechsler
D. Binet

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: Terman

1795. QUESTION: The concept of _____ validity is concerned with tests used for diagnosis of an existing situation

A. construct
B. concurrent
C. predictive
D. content

CORRECT ANSWER IS: concurrent

1796. QUESTION: Telegraphic speech is most closely associated with the _____ stage of language development

A. one-word
B. babbling
C. two-word
D. phonetic

CORRECT ANSWER IS: two-word

1797. QUESTION: The split-half procedure is a method of_____

A. sampling groups
B. measuring reliability
C. assessing validity
D. rejecting the null hypothesis

CORRECT ANSWER IS: measuring reliability

1798. QUESTION: Most experts would agree that intelligence tests are "biased" in a sense that

A. the heritability of intelligence is 100 percent
B. the reliability of intelligence tests is close to zero
C. test performance is influenced by cultural experiences
D. numerical scores of intelligence serve to dehumanize individuals

CORRECT ANSWER IS: test performance is influenced by cultural experiences

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1799. QUESTION: When an infant learns to call his father "daddy" and then calls all men "daddy", this is an example of

A. overgeneralization
B. over-discrimination
C. under-generalization
D. telegraphic speech

CORRECT ANSWER IS: overgeneralization

1800. QUESTION: If a test yields consistent results every time it is used, it has a high degree of

A. standardization
B. predictive validity
C. reliability
D. content validity

CORRECT ANSWER IS: reliability

1801. QUESTION: The English scientist who considered assessing intelligence by measuring head size was

A. Galton
B. Binet
C. Terman
D. Wechsler

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Galton

1802. QUESTION: The ability of young children to use two-word sentences is referred to as

A. babbling
B. morpheme induction
C. telegraphic speech
D. aphasia

CORRECT ANSWER IS: telegraphic speech

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1803. QUESTION: If the Psychology Subject Test had a standard error of zero, then a test taker that took the test two times would necessarily receive

A. a score equivalent to a z-score of 1 each time
B. the same score on each test
C. two scores that correlated perfectly with the test taker's aptitude
D. two scores that were above the mean

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the same score on each test

1804. QUESTION: Research suggests that humans can most easily master the grammar of a second language during

A. childhood
B. adolescence
C. early adulthood
D. late adulthood

CORRECT ANSWER IS: childhood

1805. QUESTION: One of the primary difference between an algorithm and a heuristic is

A. algorithms take longer to find a solution
B. heuristics work most but not all of the time
C. algorithms are used less often than heuristics in artificial intelligence
D. all of the above

CORRECT ANSWER IS: all of the above

1806. QUESTION: Psychologists assess the correlation between scores obtained on two halves of a single test in order to measure the _____ of a test

A. validity
B. reliability
C. standardization
D. factor analysis

CORRECT ANSWER IS: reliability

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1807. QUESTION: Which of the following terms refers to a person's accumulated knowledge and verbal skills?

A. fluid intelligence
B. concrete operational intelligence
C. crystallized intelligence
D. formal operational intelligence

CORRECT ANSWER IS: crystallized intelligence

1808. QUESTION: A manager of an advertising company is encouraging her workers to think "outside the box" in order to come up with entirely new angles for advertising. In essence, the manager is asking her employees to think

A. metacognitively
B. divergently
C. fluidly
D. deductively

CORRECT ANSWER IS: divergently

1809. QUESTION: In order to acquire a language, a species must have the following ability

A. latent learning
B. concept formation
C. hearing
D. trial and error learning

CORRECT ANSWER IS: concept formation

1810. QUESTION: The fact that we can think without language is best illustrated in research on

A. mental imagery
B. functional fixedness
C. the framing effect
D. algorithms

CORRECT ANSWER IS: mental imagery

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1811. QUESTION: The major reason for the unreliability of the Rorschach inkblot test is the fact that

A. psychologists often fail to agree on how to score the results of this test
B. the test inhibits individuals from communicating honestly in clinical interviews
C. the test fails to effectively discriminate between those how are suicidal and those who are not
D. the test can be used effectively only with individuals who are severely maladjusted

CORRECT ANSWER IS: psychologists often fail to agree on how to score the results of this test

1812. QUESTION: Fluid intelligence refers most directly to a person's

A. ability to think creatively
B. accumulated knowledge
C. ability to reason speedily and abstractly
D. ability to assume the perspective of others

CORRECT ANSWER IS: ability to reason speedily and abstractly

1813. QUESTION: The average score on an IQ test is 100, and standard deviation is 15. A person who scores a 120 on the test would be considered

A. average
B. above average
C. a genius
D. this score is not possible

CORRECT ANSWER IS: above average

1814. QUESTION: The most common way of studying human cognitive processing is to evaluate

A. semantic shifts
B. EEG readings
C. reaction time
D. rehearsal time

CORRECT ANSWER IS: reaction time

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1815. QUESTION: A test has a high degree of validity if it

A. produces a normal distribution of scores
B. yields consistent results every time it is used
C. measures or predicts what it is supposed to measure or predict
D. has been standardized on a representative sample of all those who are likely to take the test

CORRECT ANSWER IS: measures or predicts what it is supposed to measure or predict

1816. QUESTION: A personnel department developed a typing test for prospective secretaries, They gave the test to a group of job applicants on two occasions and found that the correlation between typing scores was +.89. From this outcome it should be concluded that the test is

A. valid
B. invalid
C. unreliable
D. reliable

CORRECT ANSWER IS: reliable

1817. QUESTION: Aptitude tests are specifically designed to

A. assess the ability to produce novel and valuable ideas
B. compare an individual's abilities with those of highly successfully people
C. assess learned knowledge or skills
D. predict ability to learn a new skill

CORRECT ANSWER IS: predict ability to learn a new skill

1818. QUESTION: Explaining why the best work of scientists is often produced in early adulthood while that of novelists often originates during middle adulthood requires a distinction between

A. initiative an Generativity
B. concrete and formal operations
C. fluid and crystallized intelligence
D. conventional and post conventional morality

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: fluid and crystallized intelligence

1819. QUESTION: Many people have trouble solving riddles or other mental puzzles because they can only perceive of certain objects as being useful in only particular ways. This tendency is known as

A. repression
B. functional fixedness
C. visual thinking
D. incubation

CORRECT ANSWER IS: functional fixedness

1820. QUESTION: Which of the following cannot be numerically expressed?

A. face validity
B. criterion validity
C. reliability
D. variability

CORRECT ANSWER IS: face validity

1821. QUESTION: Alia does not like to go to parties because she knows how people will conduct themselves. She has likely developed which of the following about parties?

A. a script
B. a deduction
C. a prototype
D. a heuristic

CORRECT ANSWER IS: a script

1822. QUESTION: After learning about his low score on the Wechsler Adult Intelligence Scale, Musa complained, "I don?t believe that test is a measure of intelligence at all" Musa's statement is equivalent to saying that the WAIS-R lacks

A. validity
B. reliability

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C. standardization
D. norms

CORRECT ANSWER IS: validity

1823. QUESTION: Cattell distinguished between two types of intelligence. The type that deals with a person's skill at processing novel problems and relationship is called

A. contextual
B. fluid
C. crystallized
D. componential

CORRECT ANSWER IS: fluid

1824. QUESTION: Which psychological specialty is most directly concerned with the systematic study of problem solving, decision making and concept formation?

A. developmental psychology
B. social psychology
C. clinical psychology
D. cognitive psychology

CORRECT ANSWER IS: cognitive psychology

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1825. QUESTION: Maheen has just taken a test of her capacity to learn to be a computer programmer. This is an example of an _____ test

A. aptitude
B. achievement
C. interest
D. applied intelligence

CORRECT ANSWER IS: aptitude

1826. QUESTION: Which of the following is an example of inductive reasoning?

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A. deciding if you can afford a new car
B. planning the seating arrangement for a dinner
C. organizing a mailing list
D. inventing a better screwdriver

CORRECT ANSWER IS: inventing a better screwdriver

1827. QUESTION: A psychologist uses a paper-and-pencil test to measure the creativity of art students and later correlates the scores on this test with a measure of these students' success as professional artists. What aspect of the creativity test is the correlation intended to assess?

A. statistical significance
B. criterion validity
C. reliability
D. sensitivity

CORRECT ANSWER IS: criterion validity

1828. QUESTION: In general, people attach concepts and attributes to items and events. This knowledge is used to categorize and understand new stimuli and is best known as a person's

A. algorithm
B. heuristic
C. schema
D. mental set

CORRECT ANSWER IS: schema

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1829. QUESTION: When we use the word "tree" to refer to a category of plants, we are using this word as a/an

A. prototype
B. heuristic
C. concept
D. algorithm

CORRECT ANSWER IS: concept

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1830. QUESTION: Gardner has proposed a theory of multiple intelligences. Which of the following is not one of the dimensions in his theory?

A. musical
B. verbal
C. mathematical
D. performance

CORRECT ANSWER IS: performance

1831. QUESTION: Tests designed to assess what a person has learned are called _____ tests

A. aptitude
B. standardized
C. achievement
D. intelligence

CORRECT ANSWER IS: achievement

1832. QUESTION: The Stanford-Binet, WAIS-R, and WISC are known to have very high reliability. This means that

A. a pretest has been given to a representative
B. the test yields consistent results, for example-retesting
C. the test measure what it is supposed to measure
D. the results of the test will be distributed on a bell-shaped curve

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the test yields consistent results, for example-retesting

1833. QUESTION: If both depressed and non-depressed individuals received similar scores on a diagnostic test for depression, it is said that the test

A. has not been standardized
B. is not valid
C. is not reliable
D. has not been factor analyzed

CORRECT ANSWER IS: is not valid

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1834. QUESTION: The branch of psychology that designs tests to assess IQ, aptitude and other measures of human potential is

A. parapsychology
B. psychometrics
C. measure ecology
D. social psychology

CORRECT ANSWER IS: psychometrics

1835. QUESTION: Alferd Binet developed the IQ test to

A. identify people who have superior intelligence compared to the population average
B. identify geniuses in the school population
C. answer the nature-nurture questions
D. identify children who were not getting as much out of school as they should

CORRECT ANSWER IS: identify children who were not getting as much out of school as they should

1836. QUESTION: A prototype is a

A. best example of a particular category
B. step-by-step procedure for solving problems
C. mental grouping of similar objects, event or people
D. rule-of-thumb strategy for solving problems efficiently

CORRECT ANSWER IS: best example of a particular category

1837. QUESTION: The Binet-Simon Intelligence Scale used items that had been tested with children and yielded results consistent with

A. teacher's ratings of the children tested
B. other intelligence test scores
C. the measured sensory acuity of the children tested
D. the children's mental age

CORRECT ANSWER IS: teacher's ratings of the children tested

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1838. QUESTION: Spearman explained the positive correlation among abilities measured on most intelligence test in terms of

A. poor validity of test procedures
B. poor reliability of test procedures
C. a common ability, called the Q-factor
D. a common ability, called the c-factor

CORRECT ANSWER IS: a common ability, called the Q-factor

1839. QUESTION: Aptitudes tests are to _____ as achievement tests are to _____

A. current interests, past competence
B. past competence, current interests
C. current competence, future performance
D. future performance, current competence

CORRECT ANSWER IS: future performance, current competence

1840. QUESTION: Norms can best be described as

A. standard and expectations shared by the members of a society
B. rules of law
C. statistically normal behavior
D. universal rules of conduct

CORRECT ANSWER IS: standard and expectations shared by the members of a society

1841. QUESTION: A test that, on the basis of common sense, seems to measure what it is claimed to measure as high

A. face validity
B. criterion validity
C. reliability
D. observer expectancy

CORRECT ANSWER IS: face validity

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1842. QUESTION: Artificial intelligence refers to attempts

A. at teaching people to think abstractly
B. to measure intelligence in plants
C. to use genetic engineering to produce more intelligent humans
D. to teach computers to make decisions for which they are not specifically programmed

CORRECT ANSWER IS: to teach computers to make decisions for which they are not specifically programmed

1843. QUESTION: An electronics school administer is trying to construct an admission test that will accurately predict how well applicants will perform in his school. The administrator is most obviously concerned that the test is

A. standardized
B. valid
C. factor-analyzed
D. reliable

CORRECT ANSWER IS: valid

1844. QUESTION: In the Binet and Simon scoring system, an 8-year-old child who performed as well as an average 10-year-old would be assigned a mental age of

A. 1.25
B. 8
C. 10
D. 12.5

CORRECT ANSWER IS: 10

1845. QUESTION: If the question on a paper-and-pencil test about honesty directly addresses how a person would react in situations requiring honesty, the test possesses

A. normative validity
B. face validity
C. construct validity
D. predictive validity

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: face validity

1846. QUESTION: In the process of classifying objects, people are specially likely to make use of

A. algorithms
B. framing
C. prototypes
D. normal curves

CORRECT ANSWER IS: prototypes

1847. QUESTION: Aptitudes are

A. preferences to perform certain activities
B. high levels of achievements in an area of endeavor
C. the abilities of individuals to learn in specific areas of endeavor
D. skills one brings to a given task

CORRECT ANSWER IS: preferences to perform certain activities

1848. QUESTION: Binet and Simon assumed that intellectually bright children

A. can be identified at a very young age by measuring their physical coordination and sensory skills
B. are as intellectually developed as average children who are older than them
C. are just as likely to have difficulty in regular classes as slow learners
D. have a mental age that is completely unrelated to their chronological age

CORRECT ANSWER IS: are as intellectually developed as average children who are older than them

1849. QUESTION: The study of twins indicate that

A. the environment has the greatest influence on IQ
B. intelligence is innate and little influenced by environment
C. genetics and environment have equal influence on IQ
D. genetics has more influence for some races

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: the environment has the greatest influence on IQ

1850. QUESTION: A statistical procedure that identifies cluster of test items that seem to tap a common ability is called

A. correctional measurement
B. standardization
C. factor analysis
D. split-half reliability measurement

CORRECT ANSWER IS: factor analysis

1851. QUESTION: The first intelligence test commonly used in North America was the _____, which was based on _____

A. Binet-Simon Scale, David Wechsler's test
B. Stanford-Binet Scaled, the Binet-Simon Scale
C. WISC-R, the Stanford-Binet Scale
D. Scholastic Aptitude Test, the WAIS-R

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Stanford-Binet Scaled, the Binet-Simon Scale

1852. QUESTION: Test-retest and _____ are technique for assessing the _____ of a psychological test

A. split-half, validity
B. split-half, reliability
C. item analysis, reliability
D. item analysis, validity

CORRECT ANSWER IS: split-half, reliability

1853. QUESTION: With which of the following statements will people typically agree most quickly?

A. a penguin is a bird
B. a goose is a bird
C. a parrot is a bird
D. an ostrich is a bird

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: a parrot is a bird

1854. QUESTION: A 12-year-old who responded to the original Stanford-Binet with the proficiency typical of an average 9-year-old was said to have an IQ of

A. 75
B. 85
C. 115
D. 125

CORRECT ANSWER IS: 75

1855. QUESTION: The combining of responses or ideas in novel ways is called

A. exploration
B. creativity
C. thinking
D. none of these

CORRECT ANSWER IS: creativity

1856. QUESTION: A test that produces consistent results each time it is administered is

A. valid
B. valid, but may not be reliable
C. reliable and valid
D. reliable but may not be valid

CORRECT ANSWER IS: reliable but may not be valid

1857. QUESTION: The IQ, as formulated for the Stanford-Binet scoring system, was determined by

A. adding mental age and chronological age
B. dividing mental age by chronological age and multiplying by 100
C. diving chronological age by mental age and multiplying by 100
D. dividing the number of items answered correctly by the total number pf items on the intelligence test

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: dividing mental age by chronological age and multiplying by 100

1858. QUESTION: Spearman's g factor refers to

A. the internal consistency of an intelligent test
B. the genetic contribution to intelligence
C. a general intelligence that underlies success on a wide variety of tasks
D. a highly developed skill or talent possessed by an otherwise retarded person

CORRECT ANSWER IS: a general intelligence that underlies success on a wide variety of tasks

1859. QUESTION: The chimpanzee Sultan used a short stick to retrieve a long stick, then used the long stick to retrieve a piece of fruit. Sultan's successful acquisition of the fruit was said to be the result of

A. trial and error
B. a fixation
C. an algorithm
D. insight

CORRECT ANSWER IS: insight

1860. QUESTION: Chomsky distinguished between linguistic _____ and _____

A. generativity, grammar
B. competence, performance
C. knowledge, skill
D. dividing mental age by chronological age and multiplying by 100

CORRECT ANSWER IS: competence, performance

1861. QUESTION: Eight-year-old Nawal has an IQ of 75 on the original version of the Stanford-Binet. His mental age is

A. 5
B. 6
C. 7
D. 8

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: 6

1862. QUESTION: The ability to deal with new problems and encounters is technically called as

A. crystallized intelligence
B. G or g-factor of intelligence
C. fluid intelligence
D. none of these

CORRECT ANSWER IS: G or g-factor of intelligence

1863. QUESTION: Terman's formula for IQ is IQ= (MA/CA)*100. MA refers to

A. mental analogy
B. mental arousal
C. mental aptitude
D. mental age

CORRECT ANSWER IS: mental age

1864. QUESTION: The Stanford-Binet IQ test actually measures

A. intelligence
B. knowledge of school subjects
C. creativity
D. cooperativeness

CORRECT ANSWER IS: knowledge of school subjects

1865. QUESTION: Terman observed that children with IQ scores over 135 are likely to be

A. athletically uncoordinated
B. academically successful
C. all of the above
D. socially isolated and unpopular

CORRECT ANSWER IS: academically successful

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1866. QUESTION: The inability to take a new perspective on a problem is called a

A. fixation
B. confirmation bias
C. framing effect
D. prototype

CORRECT ANSWER IS: fixation

1867. QUESTION: The original IQ formula would be least appropriate for representing the intelligence test performance of

A. kindergartners
B. grade school student
C. high school students
D. college students

CORRECT ANSWER IS: college students

1868. QUESTION: A rule of thumb that sometimes helps one to solve a problem is called a

A. algorithm
B. mnemonic
C. heuristic
D. acronym

CORRECT ANSWER IS: heuristic

1869. QUESTION: The tribrachic theory of intelligence suggests that there are

A. four components
B. six components
C. three components
D. none of these

CORRECT ANSWER IS: three components

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1870. QUESTION: A condition involving mental retardation caused by an extra chromosome in one's genetic makeup is known as

A. cretinism
B. autism
C. Down's syndrome
D. savant syndrome

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Down's syndrome

1871. QUESTION: Which one of the following characteristics does an item need to be eligible for inclusion in the Stanford-Binet?

A. the percentage of test takers getting the item correct is positively correlated with test-taker age
B. the percentage of test takers getting the item correct is negatively correlated with test-taker age
C. the percentage of test takers getting the item correct is constant across all ages levels
D. the item has a standard deviation if less than one

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the percentage of test takers getting the item correct is positively correlated with test-taker age

1872. QUESTION: Some people are unable to arrange six matches to form four equilateral triangles because they fail to consider a three-dimensional arrangement. This best illustrates the hazards of

A. heuristics
B. fixations
C. algorithms
D. framing

CORRECT ANSWER IS: fixations

1873. QUESTION: Suppose that you incorrectly believe that death from a thunder storm is more likely than death from asthmA. Which of the following can explain your error?

A. conservative bias
B. minimax strategy
C. availability heuristic

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D. means-end analysis

CORRECT ANSWER IS: availability heuristic

1874. QUESTION: Objects assembly, picture arrangement, and block design are three subsets of the

A. WAIS-R
B. SAT
C. Stanford-Binet
D. ACT

CORRECT ANSWER IS: WAIS-R

1875. QUESTION: Guilford's structure of Intellect Model of Intelligence is notable because

A. it separates operations from content and product
B. it rejects the idea of gender factor
C. it yields 180 unique intellectual factors
D. all of these

CORRECT ANSWER IS: it yields 180 unique intellectual factors

1876. QUESTION: People who make outstanding creative contributions to the arts or sciences are most likely to

A. be unusually sensitive to criticism of their ideas
B. receive above-average scores on standard tests of intelligence
C. receive only average scores on standard tests of intelligence
D. be strongly motivated to attain fame and fortune

CORRECT ANSWER IS: receive above-average scores on standard tests of intelligence

1877. QUESTION: Which one of the following would most directly affect the development of intelligence?

A. diet deficiency in the expectant mother
B. smoking by the expectant mother
C. premature birth
D. alcoholic beverage intake by the expectant mother

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: diet deficiency in the expectant mother

1878. QUESTION: The average IQ score is

A. 50
B. 100
C. 10
D. 95.6

CORRECT ANSWER IS: 100

1879. QUESTION: The tendency to think of objects only in terms of their normal uses is called

A. functional fixedness
B. the availability heuristic
C. confirmation bias
D. belief perseverance

CORRECT ANSWER IS: functional fixedness

1880. QUESTION: According to the atmosphere hypothesis in syllogistic reasoning

A. people usually reason carefully but sometimes make mistakes
B. people fail to reason at all, but jump to conclusions based on the form of syllogism
C. people reason well on invalid syllogisms but not valid
D. people reason well on valid syllogisms but not invalid

CORRECT ANSWER IS: people fail to reason at all, but jump to conclusions based on the form of syllogism

1881. QUESTION: In the Binet-Simon method of scoring, a child with a mental age of 12 and a chronological age of 10 would have an IQ of

A. 22
B. 83
C. 120
D. 122

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: 120

1882. QUESTION: A procedure that actually measures what it is supposed to measure is

A. unbiased
B. valid
C. reliable
D. sensitive

CORRECT ANSWER IS: valid

1883. QUESTION: The rules most directly involved in permitting a person to derive meaning from words and sentences are rules of

A. syntax
B. grammar
C. phonemic structure
D. semantics

CORRECT ANSWER IS: semantics

1884. QUESTION: Which of the following provides the strongest evidence of the role of heredity in determining intelligence?

A. the IQ scores of identical twins raised separately are very similar
B. the intelligence scores of fraternal twins are more similar than those of ordinary siblings
C. the intelligence scores of identical twins raised together are more similar than those of identical twins raised apart
D. the intelligence scores of adopted children show relatively weak correlations with scores of adoptive as well as biological parents

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the IQ scores of identical twins raised separately are very similar

1885. QUESTION: In his study of children with high intelligence scores, Terman found that

A. the children were more emotional and less healthy than a control group
B. the children were ostracized by classmates

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C. the children were healthy and well-adjusted, and did well academically
D. later, as adults, they nearly all achieved great vocational success

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the children were healthy and well-adjusted, and did well academically

1886. QUESTION: If you believe that intelligence is made up of a small set of separate mental abilities, which of the following are you most likely to use to identify these abilities?

A. significance testing
B. reliability testing
C. method of loci
D. factor analysis

CORRECT ANSWER IS: factor analysis

1887. QUESTION: During which stage of creative problem solving, is the actual solution likely to occur?

A. preparation
B. incubation
C. illumination
D. verification

CORRECT ANSWER IS: illumination

1888. QUESTION: Which of the following is true regarding the relationship between thinking and language?

A. "real" thinking requires the use of language
B. people sometimes think in images rather than in words
C. a thought that cannot be expressed in a particular language cannot occur to speakers of that language
D. all of the above

CORRECT ANSWER IS: people sometimes think in images rather than in words

1889. QUESTION: The text defines cognition as

A. all mental activity
B. mental activity associated with processing, understanding and communicating information

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C. logical reasoning
D. problem solving

CORRECT ANSWER IS: mental activity associated with processing, understanding and communicating information

1890. QUESTION: Suppose I were to test your knowledge of psychology by giving you the mathematics portion of the SAT test. The most justified criticism of the procedure would be that it lacks

A. reliability
B. validity
C. sensitivity
D. a placebo

CORRECT ANSWER IS: validity

1891. QUESTION: Most experts view intelligence as a person's

A. ability to perform well on intelligence tests
B. innate mental capacity
C. capacity for goal-directed adaptive behavior
D. diverse skills acquired throughout life

CORRECT ANSWER IS: capacity for goal-directed adaptive behavior

1892. QUESTION: A dessert recipe that gives you the ingredients, their amounts, and the steps to follow is an example of a/an

A. prototype
B. algorithm
C. heuristic
D. mental set

CORRECT ANSWER IS: algorithm

1893. QUESTION: Charles Superman noted that when a battery of mental tests was administered to a large group of people, the scores did not correlate perfectly with one another. He took this as evidence that

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A. a general intelligence, "g" is responsible for test performance
B. clusters of strongly correlated tests indicate the existence of distinct, primary mental abilities
C. each score is affected by a specific ability, "s"
D. the tests lacked sensitivity

CORRECT ANSWER IS: each score is affected by a specific ability, "s"

1894. QUESTION: Which of the following is not part of the definition of language?

A. rules of combination
B. symbols
C. sounds
D. language community

CORRECT ANSWER IS: sounds

1895. QUESTION: The bell-shaped distribution of intelligence scores in the general population is called a

A. g distribution
B. standardization curve
C. bimodal distribution
D. normal distribution

CORRECT ANSWER IS: normal distribution

1896. QUESTION: A mental grouping of similar things, events, or people is called a/an

A. prototype
B. concept
C. algorithm
D. mental set

CORRECT ANSWER IS: concept

1897. QUESTION: If you wanted to develop a test of musical aptitude in children of Northern Areas of Pakistan, which would be the appropriate standardization group?

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A. children all over the world
B. children of Northern Areas of Pakistan
C. children of musical parents
D. children with known musical ability

CORRECT ANSWER IS: children of Northern Areas of Pakistan

1898. QUESTION: A 6-year-old child has a mental age of 9. The child's IQ is

A. 96
B. 100
C. 125
D. 150

CORRECT ANSWER IS: 150

1899. QUESTION: What kind of reasoning task is typified by the problem 2,4, _____?

A. deductive
B. inductive
C. subliminal
D. concrete

CORRECT ANSWER IS: inductive

1900. QUESTION: Which of the following statements most accurately reflects the text's position regarding the relative contribution of genes and environment in determining intelligence?

A. except in cases of a neglectful early environment, each individuals' basic intelligence is largely the product of heredity
B. with the exception of those with genetic disorders such as Down's syndrome, intelligence is primarily the product of environmental experiences
C. both genes and life experiences significantly influence performance on intelligence tests
D. because intelligence tests have such low predictive validity, the question cannot be addresses until psychologists agree on a more valid tests of intelligence

CORRECT ANSWER IS: both genes and life experiences significantly influence performance on intelligence tests

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1901. QUESTION: According to the text, what can be concluded from early intelligence testing in the United States?

A. most European immigrants were "feebleminded"
B. army recruits of other than West European heritage were intellectually deficient
C. the test were biased against people who did not share the culture assumed by the test
D. both a and b

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the test were biased against people who did not share the culture assumed by the test

1902. QUESTION: The test created by Alfred Binet was designed specifically to

A. measure inborn intelligence in adults
B. measure inborn intelligence in children
C. predict school performance in children
D. identify mentally retarded children so that they could be institutionalized

CORRECT ANSWER IS: predict school performance in children

1903. QUESTION: When forming a concept, people often develop a best example, or _____ of a category

A. denote
B. heuristic
C. prototype
D. algorithm

CORRECT ANSWER IS: prototype

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1904. QUESTION: If asked to guess the intelligence scores of a stranger, your best guess would be

A. 75
B. 100
C. 125
D. "I don?t know, intelligence scores vary too widely."

CORRECT ANSWER IS: 100

1905. QUESTION: Which of the following is not a requirement of a good test?

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A. reliability
B. standardization
C. reification
D. validity

CORRECT ANSWER IS: reification

1906. QUESTION: At age 16, Anita's intelligence score was 110. What will her score probably be at age 32?

A. 105
B. 110
C. 115
D. there is no basis

CORRECT ANSWER IS: 110

1907. QUESTION: Reasoning from specific items or observations to a general rule is the task in

A. deductive reasoning
B. inductive reasoning
C. syllogistic reasoning
D. analogical reasoning

CORRECT ANSWER IS: inductive reasoning

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1908. QUESTION: Which of the following are barriers to effective problem solving?

A. mental set
B. inability to think divergently
C. functional fixedness
D. all of the above

CORRECT ANSWER IS: all of the above

1909. QUESTION: Which of the following provides the strongest evidence of the role of environment in intelligence?

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A. adopted children's intelligence scores are more like their adoptive parent's scores than their biological parents
B. children's intelligence scores are more strongly related to their mother's scores than to their fathers
C. children moved from a deprived environment into an intellectually enriched one show gains in intellectual development
D. the intelligence scores of identical twins raised separately are no more alike than those of siblings

CORRECT ANSWER IS: children moved from a deprived environment into an intellectually enriched one show gains in intellectual development

1910. QUESTION: Syntax refers to

A. the sounds in a word
B. the overall rules of a language
C. the rules for grouping words into sentences
D. the rules by which meaning is derive from sentences

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the rules for grouping words into sentences

1911. QUESTION: Javed has a problem. He is unemployeD. He knows that his goal is to get a joB. However, he has no idea how to begin finding employment. We might say that his problem solving skills have broken down at the _____ stage.

A. initial
B. goal
C. routs to strategies
D. solutions

CORRECT ANSWER IS: solutions

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1912. QUESTION: Which of the following statements is true?

A. the predictive validity of intelligence tests is not as high as their reliability
B. the reliability of intelligence tests is not as high as their predictive validity
C. modern intelligence tests have extremely high predictive validity and reliability
D. the predictive validity and reliability of most intelligence tests is very low

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the predictive validity of intelligence tests is not as high as their reliability

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1913. QUESTION: Jamal takes the same test of mechanical reasoning on several different days and gets virtually identical scores. This suggests that the test has

A. high content validity
B. high reliability
C. high predictive
D. been standardized

CORRECT ANSWER IS: high reliability

1914. QUESTION: Reasoning from a general to the specific is the task in

A. deductive reasoning
B. inductive reasoning
C. analogical reasoning
D. both deductive and inductive reasoning

CORRECT ANSWER IS: deductive reasoning

1915. QUESTION: During which stage of creative problem is the person the least engaged in thinking about the problem

A. preparation
B. incubation
C. illumination
D. verification

CORRECT ANSWER IS: incubation

1916. QUESTION: The formula for the intelligence quotient was devised by the

A. Galton
B. Gall
C. Terman
D. Stern

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Stern

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1917. QUESTION: Psycholinguists might study

A. pragmatics
B. PKU
C. functional fixedness
D. the WAIS-R

CORRECT ANSWER IS: pragmatics

1918. QUESTION: Skinner and other behaviorists have argued that language development is the result of

A. imitation
B. reinforcement
C. association
D. all of the above

CORRECT ANSWER IS: all of the above

1919. QUESTION: Before about age _____, intelligence tests generally do not predict future scores

A. 1
B. 3
C. 5
D. 10

CORRECT ANSWER IS: 3

1920. QUESTION: You would not use a test of hearing acuity as an intelligence test because it would lack

A. content reliability
B. predictive reliability
C. predictive validity
D. content validity

CORRECT ANSWER IS: content validity

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1921. QUESTION: The nine dot problem (in which the subject must connect the dots with four straight lines without lifting the pencil from the paper) is a classic illustration of

A. the role of visual imagery in deductive reasoning
B. the inhibition effect of a mental set on problem solving
C. the value of finding a useful analogy
D. the inhibition effect of the availability bias

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the inhibition effect of a mental set on problem solving

1922. QUESTION: Current intelligence tests compute an individual's intelligence score as

A. the ratio of mental age of chronological age multiplied by 100
B. the ratio of chronological age to mental age multiplied by 100
C. the amount by which the test-takers' performance deviates from the average performance of others the same age
D. the ratio of the test takers' verbal intelligence score to his or her nonverbal intelligence score

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the amount by which the test-takers' performance deviates from the average performance of others the same age

1923. QUESTION: Pragmatics involves decisions about language based on

A. the intelligence of the listener
B. the social context of the situation
C. none of the above
D. the vocabulary of the speaker

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the social context of the situation

1924. QUESTION: In regard to gender differences in language usage, which of the following statements is true?

A. men are more talkative than women and tend to interrupt more
B. men are shy and talk less about themselves than women
C. men are more qualifiers than women
D. men are more likely to express their feelings than women

CORRECT ANSWER IS: men are more talkative than women and tend to interrupt more

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1925. QUESTION: The basic units of cognition are

A. phonemes
B. concepts
C. prototypes
D. morphemes

CORRECT ANSWER IS: concepts

1926. QUESTION: Which of the following best describes the relationship between creativity and intelligence

A. creativity appears to depend on the ability to think imaginatively and has little if any relationship to intelligence
B. creativity is best understood as a certain kind of intelligence
C. the more intelligent a person is, the greater his or her creativity
D. a certain level of intelligence is necessary but not sufficient for creativity

CORRECT ANSWER IS: a certain level of intelligence is necessary but not sufficient for creativity

1927. QUESTION: The concept of a g factor implies that intelligence

A. is a single overall ability
B. is several specific abilities
C. is both a and c
D. is a dynamic rather than stable phenomenon

CORRECT ANSWER IS: is a single overall ability

1928. QUESTION: A high-school psychologist who is looking at a student's intelligence score finds a jump of 30 points between the earliest score at age of 2 and the most recent at age 17. The psychologist's knowledge of testing would probably lead her to conclude that such a jump

A. indicates that different tests were used, creating an apparent change in intelligence level, although it actually remained stable
B. signals a significant improvement in the child's environment over this period
C. is unsurprising, since intelligence scores do not become stable until late adolescence
D. is mainly the result of the age at which the first test was taken

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: is mainly the result of the age at which the first test was taken

1929. QUESTION: Which of the following represents an ill-defined problem

A. how to win a game of chess
B. how to solve a crossword puzzle
C. how to find meaning in life
D. how to improve your grades

CORRECT ANSWER IS: how to find meaning in life

1930. QUESTION: To qualify as a good psychological test, an instrument should have

A. reliability
B. validity
C. adequate norms
D. all of the above

CORRECT ANSWER IS: all of the above

1931. QUESTION: A baby's first words are usually produced at about age

A. six months
B. nine months
C. twelve months
D. eighteen months

CORRECT ANSWER IS: twelve months

1932. QUESTION: If a test is administered in such a way that all who take the test get the same instructions, the same time limits, and virtually the same testing conditions, we say that the test is

A. objective
B. standardized
C. valid
D. reliable

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: standardized

1933. QUESTION: If a test designed to indicate which applicants are likely to perform the best on the job fails to do so, the test has

A. low reliability
B. low content
C. low predictive validity
D. not been standardized

CORRECT ANSWER IS: low predictive validity

1934. QUESTION: A psychological working in rehabilitation center needs to know the "IQ" of a single adult client. The best test to use would be the

A. WAIS-R
B. WISC-R
C. Stanford-Binet
D. OLSAT

CORRECT ANSWER IS: WAIS-R

1935. QUESTION: A psychological test can measure

A. behavior
B. aptitudes
C. attitude
D. all of the above

CORRECT ANSWER IS: all of the above

1936. QUESTION: Comparison of students' GRE scores with their later graduate school grade point averages (GPAs) would probably be used to analyze the GRE's

A. content validity
B. concurrent validity
C. predictive validity

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D. test-related reliability

CORRECT ANSWER IS: predictive validity

1937. QUESTION: Which of the following represents the correct sequence in language acquisition?

A. babbling, telegraphic speech, holophrastic speech
B. telegraphic speech, holophrastic speech, babbling
C. telegraphic speech, babbling, holophrastic speech
D. babbling, holophrastic speech, telegraphic speech

CORRECT ANSWER IS: babbling, holophrastic speech, telegraphic speech

1938. QUESTION: Our most important concern relative to differences in IQ should be

A. determining whether the difference is genetic
B. focusing on gender differences
C. determining whether IQ can be changed
D. discovering which environmental factors are involved

CORRECT ANSWER IS: determining whether IQ can be changed

1939. QUESTION: Which one of the following terms is most appropriately defined by the words "how behavior gets started, is energized, is sustained, is directed?"

A. emotion
B. aspiration
C. osculation
D. motivation

CORRECT ANSWER IS: motivation

1940. QUESTION: Functional autonomy of motives is associated with the work of

A. Allport
B. McClelland
C. Atkinson

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D. McDougall

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Allport

1941. QUESTION: According to Herzberg's two factor theory of job satisfaction, which of the following choices are important factors?

A. maintenance and motivator factors
B. job specialization and responsibility
C. management and organizational development
D. authority and decision making

CORRECT ANSWER IS: maintenance and motivator factors

1942. QUESTION: The SOC (state of conscious) one passes through going from sleeping to waking is called the

A. twilight zone
B. syntonic state
C. hypnopompic state
D. hypnagogic state

CORRECT ANSWER IS: hypnopompic state

1943. QUESTION: The body's natural tendency to maintain a state of internal balance or equilibrium is called

A. arousal
B. opponent process
C. homeostasis
D. instinct

CORRECT ANSWER IS: homeostasis

1944. QUESTION: Mr. Zahid believes that aggression is an unlearned behavior characteristic of all children. He obviously believes that aggression is a/an

A. extrinsic motive
B. homeostatic mechanism

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C. instinct
D. instinct motive

CORRECT ANSWER IS: instinct

1945. QUESTION: A hungry person would find food to be a

A. primary reinforce
B. secondary reinforce
C. none of these
D. negative reinforce

CORRECT ANSWER IS: primary reinforce

1946. QUESTION: According to Maslow, our need for ____ must be met before we are prompted to satisfy our need for

A. food, love
B. self-esteem, adequate clothing
C. self-actualization, economic security
D. political freedom, economic security

CORRECT ANSWER IS: food, love

1947. QUESTION: You could expect Maslow's self-actualized person to be

A. id-dominated
B. ego-dominated
C. Thanatos-oriented
D. relatively independent of his culture and environment

CORRECT ANSWER IS: relatively independent of his culture and environment

1948. QUESTION: All secondary sources of drive are

A. homeostatic
B. goal-seeking
C. self-propelling

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D. learned

CORRECT ANSWER IS: learned

1949. QUESTION: Sleep apnea is

A. the technical name for sleepwalking
B. cessation of breathing during sleep
C. non-REM sleep
D. insomnia

CORRECT ANSWER IS: cessation of breathing during sleep

1950. QUESTION: The drive reduction theory was proposed by

A. Clark Hull
B. B. F. Skinner
C. Erik Erikson
D. Kurt Lewin

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Clark Hull

1951. QUESTION: Concerns with meeting standards of excellence and accomplishing difficult tasks refer to the need for

A. affiliation
B. achievement
C. power
D. apperception

CORRECT ANSWER IS: achievement

1952. QUESTION: An aroused or activated state that is often triggered by deprivation is called a/an

A. instinct
B. need
C. incentive
D. drive

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: drive

1953. QUESTION: According to Edward Tolman, Expectation X value = ?

A. performance
B. achievement
C. Need for Achievement
D. Activation - Arousal

CORRECT ANSWER IS: performance

1954. QUESTION: Harlow's work with monkeys and surrogate mother suggests that

A. bottle-fed infants are usually less attached to their mothers than breast-fed infants
B. infants are less likely to explore their environments when they can experience maternal comforting instead
C. attachment may not be directly related to the provision of food
D. infants monkeys generally refuse all milk but that of their mother

CORRECT ANSWER IS: attachment may not be directly related to the provision of food

1955. QUESTION: Damage to the ventromedial hypothalamus of an animal produces

A. blindness
B. taste loss
C. paralysis
D. overeating

CORRECT ANSWER IS: overeating

1956. QUESTION: Increases in insulin increase hunger indirectly by

A. increasing blood glucose levels
B. decreasing blood glucose levels
C. increasing serotonin levels
D. decreasing serotonin levels

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: decreasing blood glucose levels

1957. QUESTION: Increase in motivation and arousal brings increase in emotion

A. Bowlby
B. Harlow
C. Schechter-Singer
D. Yerkes-Dodson

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Yerkes-Dodson

1958. QUESTION: The best example of a primary reinforce is

A. food
B. money
C. paycheck
D. new clothes

CORRECT ANSWER IS: food

1959. QUESTION: Dollard, Doob, Miller, Mowrer and Sears have suggested that all aggressive acts are caused by

A. confusion
B. poor social learning
C. frustration
D. stress

CORRECT ANSWER IS: frustration

1960. QUESTION: Theory described by Abraham Maslow is known as

A. hierarchy of needs
B. equity theory
C. psychoanalysis
D. cognitive dissonance theory

CORRECT ANSWER IS: hierarchy of needs

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1961. QUESTION: The term sham feeding refers to experiments in which

A. food is introduced directly into the stomach
B. a brain operation is performed prior to the experiment
C. nonnutritive bulk is fed to the animal
D. food is "eaten" and "swallowed" but does not reach the stomach

CORRECT ANSWER IS: food is "eaten" and "swallowed" but does not reach the stomach

1962. QUESTION: For a thirsty person, drinking water serves to reduce

A. homeostasis
B. a drive
C. an instinct
D. extrinsic motivation

CORRECT ANSWER IS: a drive

1963. QUESTION: Rhesus monkeys that feed on a terry cloth mother are notably better adjusted than those who feed on a wire mother. And, given the option, a monkey will go to the terry cloth mother. The researcher and the principle are ____ and _____

A. Schechter-Singer, an emotional arousal based on context
B. Bowlby, social stimulation
C. Spiel Berger, State vs trait
D. Harlow, contact comfort

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Harlow, contact comfort

1964. QUESTION: Increases in ____ increase hunger, while increases in _____ decrease hunger

A. glucose, insulin
B. insulin, glucose
C. glucose, testosterone
D. serotonin, insulin

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: insulin, glucose

1965. QUESTION: Motivation is defined as an inferred process within a person that causes the organisms to move towards

A. a goal
B. all other organisms
C. reinforcement
D. higher levels in the hierarchy of needs

CORRECT ANSWER IS: a goal

1966. QUESTION: A child enjoys working in the garden. His parents are trying to decide whether they should start paying him for his work. Which of the following most strongly suggests that they ought not to pay their child?

A. source credibility
B. the over-justification effect
C. belief perseverance
D. locus of control theory

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the over-justification effect

1967. QUESTION: According to Clark Hull, Drive X Habit = ?

A. performance
B. achievement
C. Need for Achievement
D. goal

CORRECT ANSWER IS: performance

1968. QUESTION: A lesion of the ventromedial hypothalamus will most likely produce

A. aphasia
B. aphagia
C. adipsia
D. hyperphagia

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: hyperphagia

1969. QUESTION: The motivation cycle includes

A. driving state
B. behavior
C. emotions
D. none of these

CORRECT ANSWER IS: none of these

1970. QUESTION: Food deprivation is to hunger as ____ is to _____

A. homeostasis, thirst
B. incentive, instinct
C. need, drive
D. motivation, emotion

CORRECT ANSWER IS: need, drive

1971. QUESTION: According to Maslow's hierarchy of needs, individuals

A. may bypass a level in their quest for self actualization
B. must satisfy self-esteem needs before achieving belongingness and love needs
C. always end their lives self actualized
D. must satisfy esteem needs before the process of self-actualization

CORRECT ANSWER IS: may bypass a level in their quest for self actualization

1972. QUESTION: REM sleep is also known as

A. paradoxical sleep
B. desynchronized sleep
C. passive sleep
D. both a and c

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: desynchronized sleep

1973. QUESTION: A program to increase self-esteem in elementary school children could be considered to be an example of

A. primary prevention
B. secondary prevention
C. retroactive prevention
D. response prevention

CORRECT ANSWER IS: primary prevention

1974. QUESTION: The set point is

A. the stage of the sexual response cycle that occurs just before orgasm
B. the body temperature of a healthy organism, for example, 98.6 degree F in humans
C. the point at which energy expenditures from exercise and from metabolism are equal
D. the specific body weight maintained automatically by most adults over long periods of times

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the specific body weight maintained automatically by most adults over long periods of times

1975. QUESTION: Which of the following is not characteristic of stage 1 sleep?

A. dreams
B. REM
C. major muscle twitches
D. desynchronized EEG patterns

CORRECT ANSWER IS: major muscle twitches

1976. QUESTION: Alpha wave would be most prevalent in which of the following instances?

A. deep sleep
B. REM sleep
C. eyes closed in relaxed, wakeful state
D. solving a multiplication problem in your head

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: eyes closed in relaxed, wakeful state

1977. QUESTION: Homeostasis refers to

A. an aroused or activated state that is often triggered by deprivation
B. a desire to perform a behavior for its own sake
C. a state of physical deprivation that usually triggers motivational arousal
D. the body's tendency to maintain a constant internal state

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the body's tendency to maintain a constant internal state

1978. QUESTION: Goals can help us motivated by all the following except

A. focusing our attention
B. encouraging alternative ways of achieving goals
C. allowing to the freedom to be spontaneous in our activities
D. mobilizing our resources

CORRECT ANSWER IS: allowing to the freedom to be spontaneous in our activities

1979. QUESTION: Which of the following concepts is most associated with Abraham Maslow?

A. archetype
B. peak shift
C. hierarchy of needs
D. anxiety hierarchy

CORRECT ANSWER IS: hierarchy of needs

1980. QUESTION: According to Allport's theory of motivation, people are motivated

A. toward future goals
B. by past and current experience
C. by social reinforcement
D. by current experiences

CORRECT ANSWER IS: by current experiences

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1981. QUESTION: Research by Edward Deci has suggested that extrinsic motivators are more effective when they are

A. stated up front so that the individual knows what he or she will be receiving
B. tangible and easily identifiable
C. received immediately before the task is accomplished
D. intangible, such as verbal praise of smile

CORRECT ANSWER IS: stated up front so that the individual knows what he or she will be receiving

1982. QUESTION: When an organism's weight rises above its set point, the organisms is likely to experience a/an

A. decrease in both hunger and metabolic rate
B. increase in hunger and a decrease in metabolic rate
C. decrease in hunger and an increase in metabolic rate
D. increase in both hunger and metabolic rate

CORRECT ANSWER IS: decrease in hunger and an increase in metabolic rate

1983. QUESTION: In the early, classic experiments of Cannon and Washburn, their subjects were required to swallow balloons. This procedure enables the experimenters to study

A. the amount of food intake
B. hormonal secretions
C. gastric contractions of the stomach
D. dietary self-selection

CORRECT ANSWER IS: gastric contractions of the stomach

1984. QUESTION: Which of the following conditions are not associated with prolonged sensory deprivation

A. inability to concentrate
B. a satisfying relaxed feeling
C. hallucinations
D. confusion

CORRECT ANSWER IS: a satisfying relaxed feeling

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1985. QUESTION: Homeostatic regulation is achieved by the

A. peripheral nervous system
B. autonomic nervous system
C. sympathetic nervous system
D. parasympathetic nervous system

CORRECT ANSWER IS: autonomic nervous system

1986. QUESTION: When extremely excited, Zahra has a harder time throwing ball than when she is mildly exciteD. This behavior is consistent with which of the following?

A. the Zeigarnik effect
B. the Hawthorne effect
C. Weber's law
D. the Yerkes-Dodson law

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the Yerkes-Dodson law

1987. QUESTION: For a hungry person, the consumption of food serves to

A. lower the set point
B. arouse need
C. maintain homeostasis
D. reduce an instinct

CORRECT ANSWER IS: maintain homeostasis

1988. QUESTION: Which of the following is an example of extrinsic motivation?

A. doing a good job because of sense of satisfaction when you are finished
B. doing a good job in order to get a pay raise
C. working hard because of the pride you take in your work
D. doing a good job because you enjoy your work

CORRECT ANSWER IS: doing a good job in order to get a pay raise

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1989. QUESTION: According to Atkinson, which of the following would be true?

A. motivation deals with immediate influences on direction, vigor, and persistence of action
B. motivation is synonymous with perception
C. motivation is synonymous with emotion
D. motivation is synonymous with the study of behavior change

CORRECT ANSWER IS: motivation deals with immediate influences on direction, vigor, and persistence of action

1990. QUESTION: Zia has just eaten a huge meal, but gets the urge to eat when smells fresh popcorn. Psychologists would most likely consider Zia to be

A. an external
B. suffering from anorexia nervosa
C. obese
D. suffering from bulimia nervosa

CORRECT ANSWER IS: an external

1991. QUESTION: Achievement motivation (need for achievement) was proposed by

A. Clark Hull
B. David McClelland
C. Abraham Maslow
D. Henry Murray

CORRECT ANSWER IS: David McClelland

1992. QUESTION: Harry Harlow's experiments with wire and cloth surrogate mothers demonstrated the importance of

A. insight learning
B. constant comfort
C. kin selection
D. instinctual drift

CORRECT ANSWER IS: constant comfort

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1993. QUESTION: Deficiency motivation is to abundance motivation as

A. desire to need
B. innate is to learned
C. need is to desire
D. primary is to secondary

CORRECT ANSWER IS: innate is to learned

1994. QUESTION: Which of the following orders of Maslow's hierarchy of needs is correct?

A. safety, physiological, belongingness, self-actualization, esteem
B. belongingness, safety, physiological, self-actualization, esteem
C. belongingness, physiological, safety, self-actualization, esteem
D. physiological, safety, belongingness, esteem, self-actualization

CORRECT ANSWER IS: physiological, safety, belongingness, esteem, self-actualization

1995. QUESTION: REM sleep signals

A. high GSR
B. dreaming
C. stage IV sleep
D. stage II sleep

CORRECT ANSWER IS: stage IV sleep

1996. QUESTION: Which theory must clearly emphasizes the importance of homeostasis in motivation?

A. instinct theory
B. drive-reduction theory
C. arousal theory
D. incentive theory

CORRECT ANSWER IS: drive-reduction theory

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1997. QUESTION: Konrad Lorenz contented that aggression is

A. socially learned
B. the result of prejudice
C. an innate readiness to fight for survival
D. a direct result of personal space

CORRECT ANSWER IS: an innate readiness to fight for survival

1998. QUESTION: Abraham Maslow is well known for his concept of

A. object-relations theory
B. cognitive-behavioral theory
C. hierarchy of need
D. learned helplessness

CORRECT ANSWER IS: hierarchy of need

1999. QUESTION: The concept of homeostasis most closely associated with the name

A. Cannon
B. Levin
C. Thorndike
D. Tolman

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Cannon

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2000. QUESTION: External stimuli that lead to goal-directed behavior are called

A. drives
B. needs
C. incentives
D. reciprocals

CORRECT ANSWER IS: incentives

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2001. QUESTION: A subject placed in an elaborate sensory deprivation setting for remuneration of Rs. 1000/- per day will

A. remain in such a setting indefinitely
B. usually endure such a setting only one to two weeks
C. usually endure such a setting only two to three weeks
D. experience motion parallax

CORRECT ANSWER IS: usually endure such a setting only two to three weeks

2002. QUESTION: Mansoor is an amateur golfer who has a high need for achievement. Research suggests that Mansoor most likely prefers playing golf on courses that for him are

A. very easy
B. moderately difficult
C. extremely difficult
D. very easy or very difficult

CORRECT ANSWER IS: moderately difficult

2003. QUESTION: The attempts by the body to maintain a certain internal environment in terms of oxygen, sugar levels, temperature, etC. is referred to as

A. encephalic balance
B. bio-inertia
C. psychological consistency
D. homeostasis

CORRECT ANSWER IS: homeostasis

2004. QUESTION: Positive and negative environmental stimuli that motivate behavior are called

A. needs
B. incentives
C. goals
D. drives

CORRECT ANSWER IS: incentives

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2005. QUESTION: According to Baumrind, which parenting style is associated with the most socially and academically competent children?

A. permissive
B. assertive
C. authoritarian
D. authoritative

CORRECT ANSWER IS: authoritative

2006. QUESTION: According to Maslow, a person with no jobs, no friends and no house can be self-actualized

A. 100% yes
B. 100% no
C. rarely
D. none of these

CORRECT ANSWER IS: 100% no

2007. QUESTION: Which one of the following bodily patterns does not accompany dreaming activity?

A. a distinctive EEG pattern
B. rapid eye movement
C. higher level of cerebral blood flow
D. higher level of general muscle activity

CORRECT ANSWER IS: higher level of general muscle activity

2008. QUESTION: The group that contains a term not mentioned within Murray's list of needs is

A. nurturance, autonomy
B. aggression, abasement
C. dominance, affiliation
D. passivity, destruction

CORRECT ANSWER IS: passivity, destruction

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2009. QUESTION: McClelland's method of measuring the achievement motive made use of

A. self-rating
B. fantasy
C. activity level
D. all of the above

CORRECT ANSWER IS: activity level

2010. QUESTION: A person with low self-esteem should most likely attribute his success to

A. stable causes
B. unstable causes
C. internal causes
D. external causes

CORRECT ANSWER IS: external causes

2011. QUESTION: Which of the following is clearly not an example of an incentive?

A. threat of punishment
B. lack of bodily fluids
C. the smell of popcorn
D. electric shock

CORRECT ANSWER IS: lack of bodily fluids

2012. QUESTION: A need to establish and maintain relationships with other people

A. achievement motivation
B. need for affiliation
C. power motive
D. none of these

CORRECT ANSWER IS: need for affiliation

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2013. QUESTION: In contrast to children who were low in achievement need, McClelland found that children with high achievement need had a

A. weaker preference for immediate risk tasks
B. stronger preference for immediate risk tasks
C. stronger preference for low risk tasks
D. stronger preference for high risk tasks

CORRECT ANSWER IS: stronger preference for immediate risk tasks

2014. QUESTION: In general children who score well on IQ tests have parents who

A. pay for tutor and special school
B. have very high IQ
C. spend time with them and actively encourage their development
D. punish them if they fail to do well

CORRECT ANSWER IS: spend time with them and actively encourage their development

2015. QUESTION: On the basis of McClelland's findings, in which of the following groups could a person expect to find the lowest achievement need?

A. male college graduates with bachelor's degrees
B. female college graduates with bachelor's degrees
C. male high-school graduates with vocational training
D. male and female professional students with PhDs

CORRECT ANSWER IS: male high-school graduates with vocational training

2016. QUESTION: Parents who wish to strengthen their children's achievement motivation should be advised to

A. recognize that young children can't be expected to do things successfully without parental help
B. tell their children that failure in life brings suffering
C. warmly accept and praised their children regardless of whether they succeed or fail
D. encourage children at any early age to handle responsibility without parental help

CORRECT ANSWER IS: encourage children at any early age to handle responsibility without parental help

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2017. QUESTION: REM sleep is characterized by which of the following?

A. sleep walking
B. night terrors
C. delta waves
D. dreams

CORRECT ANSWER IS: dreams

2018. QUESTION: One some college football teams, players are rewarded for outstanding performance with a gold star on their helmets. This practice best illustrate the use of

A. set points
B. intrinsic motivation
C. incentives
D. participative management

CORRECT ANSWER IS: incentives

2019. QUESTION: Term achievement need was introduced by

A. McClelland
B. Jung
C. Maslow
D. none of these

CORRECT ANSWER IS: McClelland

2020. QUESTION: The fact that a person can awaken at a specific hour without alarm clock assistance is attributable to

A. correlation of bodily processes with predictable time passage
B. predisposed response generalization
C. convergence
D. configuration

CORRECT ANSWER IS: correlation of bodily processes with predictable time passage

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2021. QUESTION: On the basis of existing research, which one of the following influences is found in the childhood backgrounds of adults with a high achievement need?

A. encouragement of curiosity
B. encouragement of aggression
C. encouragement of creativity
D. encouragement of independence

CORRECT ANSWER IS: encouragement of curiosity

2022. QUESTION: Motivation is defined by psychologists as

A. an impulse to accomplish something of significance
B. a need or desire that energizes and directs behavior toward a goal
C. rigidly patterned behavioral urges characteristic of all people
D. the cause of behavior

CORRECT ANSWER IS: a need or desire that energizes and directs behavior toward a goal

2023. QUESTION: Extrinsic motivation refers to

A. a rigidly patterned behavioral urge characteristics of an entire species
B. a state of physical deprivation that triggers arousal
C. a state of arousal that is triggered by physical deprivation
D. a desire to perform a behavior in order to obtain promised rewards or avoid threatened punishment

CORRECT ANSWER IS: a desire to perform a behavior in order to obtain promised rewards or avoid threatened punishment

2024. QUESTION: An individual taking caffeine pills to stay awake during an all-night study session finds that he is incapable of writing his term paper effectively. Unable to sleep, he immaculately cleans his apartment. Such performance is best predicted by the

A. opponent-process theory
B. cocktail party phenomenon
C. Yerkes-Dodson law

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D. signal detection theory

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Yerkes-Dodson law

2025. QUESTION: Which theory most clearly emphasizes the importance of learning in motivation?

A. instinct theory
B. drive-reduction theory
C. arousal theory
D. incentive theory

CORRECT ANSWER IS: incentive theory

2026. QUESTION: Maintenance of an internal biological balance is called

A. instinct
B. need
C. homeostasis
D. none of these

CORRECT ANSWER IS: homeostasis

2027. QUESTION: Among the following, the most important name in achievement motivation research is

A. Miller
B. Bandura
C. Murray
D. Atkinson

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Atkinson

2028. QUESTION: Fixed patterns of behavior characteristic of a species and developed without practice are called

A. intrinsic motives
B. drives
C. instincts
D. extrinsic motives

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: instincts

2029. QUESTION: In the McClelland type ring toss game, which of the following groups of men would be expected to take the most shots from an intermediate distance?

A. those high in test anxiety
B. those high in both test anxiety and achievement need
C. those low in achievement need
D. those high in achievement need and low in test anxiety

CORRECT ANSWER IS: those high in achievement need and low in test anxiety

2030. QUESTION: Informative rewards _____ motivation and controlling rewards _____ motivation

A. increase intrinsic, decrease extrinsic
B. increase extrinsic, decrease intrinsic
C. decrease extrinsic, decrease intrinsic
D. increase intrinsic, decrease intrinsic

CORRECT ANSWER IS: increase intrinsic, decrease intrinsic

2031. QUESTION: In the midst of deep sleep, the dominant brain wave is

A. alpha
B. beta
C. gamma
D. delta

CORRECT ANSWER IS: delta

2032. QUESTION: The most basic or lowest level need in Maslow's hierarchy of human motives includes the need for

A. self-esteem
B. love and friendship
C. food and drink
D. achievement

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: food and drink

2033. QUESTION: Researchers show that poor performance is the result of

A. poor conditions
B. job satisfaction
C. both a and b
D. none of these

CORRECT ANSWER IS: poor conditions

2034. QUESTION: One of the major reasons that circadian rhythm has become a focus of attention in studying pilots is its relationship to

A. sleeplessness
B. anemia
C. fatigue
D. apraxia

CORRECT ANSWER IS: fatigue

2035. QUESTION: Instinctive behavior is

A. designed to maintain homeostasis
B. triggered by a biological need
C. extrinsically motivated
D. unlearned

CORRECT ANSWER IS: unlearned

2036. QUESTION: Organization theory uses theories of reinforcement to increase worker efficiency and satisfaction. According to reinforcement theory, the best time to reward a worker is

A. at the end of the year in the form of a bonus
B. when he first begins work in the company
C. immediately before a task is performed

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D. immediately after a task has been performed

CORRECT ANSWER IS: immediately after a task has been performed

2037. QUESTION: When asked what is most necessary for a happy and meaningful life, most people first mention the importance of satisfying their _____ needs

A. achievement
B. belongingness
C. safety
D. sexual

CORRECT ANSWER IS: belongingness

2038. QUESTION: Not reduces during sleep is the level of

A. respiration
B. blood pressure
C. body temperature
D. gastric contractions

CORRECT ANSWER IS: gastric contractions

2039. QUESTION: The distinctive brain waves that accompany various stages of sleep are detected by

A. ultrasound recordings
B. magnetic resonance imaging
C. a CAT-scan
D. an electroencephalogram (EEG)

CORRECT ANSWER IS: an electroencephalogram (EEG)

2040. QUESTION: Which of the following characteristics of the hypothalamus would suit it to be a hub of many central drive systems?

A. it controls pituitary hormones and the blood-borne chemicals
B. it contains tracts that interconnect many areas of the brain

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C. it regenerates if injured
D. all of the above

CORRECT ANSWER IS: it contains tracts that interconnect many areas of the brain

2041. QUESTION: During REM sleep, a person's EEG, eye movements and heart rate are consistent with _____ and the muscles are_____

A. deep sleep; very tense
B. high arousal; very tense
C. deep sleep; very relaxed
D. high arousal; very relaxed

CORRECT ANSWER IS: high arousal; very relaxed

2042. QUESTION: Motivation is best understood as a state that

A. reduce drive
B. energizes an organism to act
C. aims at satisfying a biological need
D. energizes and directs behavior

CORRECT ANSWER IS: energizes and directs behavior

2043. QUESTION: According to Maslows theory

A. the most basic motives are based on physiological needs
B. needs are satisfied in a specific order
C. the highest motives relate to self-actualization
D. all of the above

CORRECT ANSWER IS: all of the above

2044. QUESTION: Getting only half of a normal night of sleep is likely to cut most deeply into your _____ sleep time.

A. REM
B. stage 4

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C. stage 3
D. stage 2

CORRECT ANSWER IS: REM

2045. QUESTION: The body's center for regulating temperature are both located in the

A. cerebral cortex
B. hypothalamus
C. limbic system
D. parasympathetic nervous system

CORRECT ANSWER IS: hypothalamus

2046. QUESTION: Which of the following best characterizes the difference between REM sleep and the other stages of sleep?

A. dreams occur during REM sleep but not during the other stages
B. the EEG shows, high-amplitude waves during REM sleep and successively faster lower-amplitude waves during the other stages
C. the muscles are tenser during REM sleep than during the other stages
D. all of the above

CORRECT ANSWER IS: dreams occur during REM sleep but not during the other stages

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2047. QUESTION: Researchers can use an electrode to

A. create a lesion in the brain
B. stimulate an area of the brain
C. both a and b
D. neither a nor b

CORRECT ANSWER IS: both a and b

2048. QUESTION: Which of the following is a difference between a drive and a need?

A. needs are learned; drives are inherited

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B. needs are physiological states; drives are psychological states
C. drives are generally stronger than needs
D. needs are generally stronger than drives

CORRECT ANSWER IS: needs are physiological states; drives are psychological states

2049. QUESTION: In animals, destruction of the lateral hypothalamus results in _____ whereas destruction of the ventromedial hypothalamus results in _____

A. overeating; loss of hunger
B. loss of hunger; overeating
C. an elevated set point; a lowered set point
D. increased thirst; loss of thirst

CORRECT ANSWER IS: increased thirst; loss of thirst

2050. QUESTION: A changeable internal conditions that orients and individual toward one or another category of goals is called

A. a motivational sale
B. a drive
C. an incentive
D. a and b

CORRECT ANSWER IS: a motivational sale

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2051. QUESTION: The most reliable effect of sleep deprivation is

A. sleepiness
B. a loss of physical coordination
C. difficulty in performing intellectually challenging tasks
D. a depression in immune system functioning

CORRECT ANSWER IS: sleepiness

2052. QUESTION: Increase in insulin will

A. lower blood sugar and trigger hunger
B. raise blood sugar and trigger hunger
C. lower blood sugar and trigger satiety
D. raise blood sugar and trigger satiety

CORRECT ANSWER IS: lower blood sugar and trigger hunger

2053. QUESTION: Your dog suffers a head injury, and you notice that although he used to eat bits of food throughout the day, now he eats all his food at once and looks for more. Which area of his brain is most likely to have been damaged?

A. the hippocampus
B. the amygdala
C. the lateral hypothalamus
D. the ventromedial hypothalamus

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the ventromedial hypothalamus

2054. QUESTION: Our most important physiological cues for eating come from

A. stomach contractions
B. the liver and the hypothalamus
C. the sight of food
D. the smell of food

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the liver and the hypothalamus

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2055. QUESTION: Beginning with the most basic needs, which of the following represents the correct sequence of needs in the hierarchy described my Maslow?

A. safety; physiological; esteem; belongingness and love; self-fulfillment
B. safety; physiological; belongingness and love; esteem; self-fulfillment
C. physiological; safety; esteem; belongingness and love; self-fulfillment
D. physiological; safety; belongingness and love; self-esteem; self-actualization

CORRECT ANSWER IS: physiological; safety; belongingness and love; self-esteem; self-actualization

2056. QUESTION: Hunger is an example of _____ and food is an example of the corresponding _____

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A. a drive; motivational state
B. an incentive; reinforce
C. a drive; incentive
D. a motivational state; drive

CORRECT ANSWER IS: a drive; incentive

2057. QUESTION: Suppose your aunt routinely has difficulty falling asleep and as a result feels tired during the day. Your aunt is suffering from

A. insomnia
B. nonsomnia
C. cataplexy
D. dream deprivation

CORRECT ANSWER IS: insomnia

2058. QUESTION: Electrical stimulation of the lateral hypothalamus will cause an animal to

A. begin eating
B. stop eating
C. become obese
D. begin copulating

CORRECT ANSWER IS: begin eating

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2059. QUESTION: The set point is the _____ that an individual finds easiest to maintain

A. level of blood sugar
B. energy expenditure
C. relative proportions of bone, muscle and fat
D. bodily weight

CORRECT ANSWER IS: bodily weight

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2060. QUESTION: Research by David McClelland on his concept of need to achieve would predict that someone with a high need for Achievement, if given a choice, would choose a job

A. in which he or she was almost bound to be successful
B. that was challenging, but could be done well with effort
C. that was so difficult that it almost certainly could not be done well
D. in which he or she could succeed, but only at the expense of others

CORRECT ANSWER IS: that was challenging, but could be done well with effort

2061. QUESTION: Zehra decided to take introductory psychology because she has always been interested in human behavior. Musa enrolled in the same course because he thought it would be easy. Zehra's behavior was motivated by _____ and Musa's by _____

A. extrinsic motivation; intrinsic motivation
B. intrinsic motivation; extrinsic motivation
C. drives; incentives
D. incentives; drives

CORRECT ANSWER IS: intrinsic motivation; extrinsic motivation

2062. QUESTION: The constancy of internal conditions that the body must actively work to maintain is known as

A. drive reduction
B. homeostasis
C. incentive balance
D. the central drive state

CORRECT ANSWER IS: homeostasis

2063. QUESTION: Men who suffered spinal cord injuries reported that after their injury the emotions they felt were

A. less intense
B. more intense
C. unchanged in intensity
D. variable in intensity

CORRECT ANSWER IS: less intense

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2064. QUESTION: Instinct theory and drive-reduction theory both emphasize _____ factors in motivation

A. environmental
B. cognitive
C. psychological
D. biological

CORRECT ANSWER IS: biological

2065. QUESTION: Which of the following is most used as an index of sleep?

A. the EEG
B. steroid levels in the blood
C. the degree of muscle tension in the limbs
D. the onset of rapid eye movement

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the EEG

2066. QUESTION: The Thematic Appreciation Test was developed to measure the need for

A. achievement
B. competence
C. power
D. affiliation

CORRECT ANSWER IS: achievement

2067. QUESTION: Which of the following is an example of secondary drive?

A. a baby is crying because it is hungry
B. a toddler goes to the refrigerator and asks for "drink"
C. an adolescent girl tells her mother she needs a new pair of shoes
D. a ten year old has a fever and asks his mother for aspirin

CORRECT ANSWER IS: an adolescent girl tells her mother she needs a new pair of shoes

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2068. QUESTION: Motivational theories based on the idea of homeostasis are attempting to explain drives in terms of

A. tissue needs
B. the arousal response
C. reward and punishment
D. hypothetical mental constructs

CORRECT ANSWER IS: tissue needs

2069. QUESTION: During which stage of sleep does the body experience in increased heart rate, rapid breathing and genital arousal?

A. stage 2
B. stage 3
C. stage 4
D. REM sleep

CORRECT ANSWER IS: REM sleep

2070. QUESTION: Bulimia nervosa involves

A. binging
B. purging
C. dramatic weight loss
D. a and b

CORRECT ANSWER IS: a and b

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2071. QUESTION: If a person tries to solve a problem or becomes excited in a walking state, the EEG is most likely to show

A. spindles
B. alpha waves
C. beta waves
D. delta waves

CORRECT ANSWER IS: beta waves

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2072. QUESTION: _____ needs are the third level of Maslow's hierarchy of needs

A. safety
B. ego
C. biological
D. social

CORRECT ANSWER IS: social

2073. QUESTION: What Cannon proposed that we can understand drives in terms of the body's need to keep internal conditions, for example, oxygen levels within restricted ranges. He called this process

A. non-regulatory motivation
B. homeostasis
C. satisfaction
D. central drive

CORRECT ANSWER IS: homeostasis

2074. QUESTION: Which of the following is not part of Maslow's hierarchy of needs?

A. safety needs
B. love and belongingness
C. affiliation needs
D. self-actualization

CORRECT ANSWER IS: affiliation needs

2075. QUESTION: Although her eyes are closed, her brain is generating bursts of electrical activity in the visual cortex. It is likely that she is

A. under the influence of a depressant
B. under the influence of an opiate
C. in NREM sleep
D. in REM sleep

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: in REM sleep

2076. QUESTION: The brain area that when stimulated suppresses eating is the

A. lateral hypothalamus
B. ventromedial hypothalamus
C. lateral thalamus
D. ventromedial thalamus

CORRECT ANSWER IS: ventromedial hypothalamus

2077. QUESTION: The EEG of a person who is awake and relaxed, with closed eyes, thinking of nothing in particular, will generally consist of

A. spindles
B. alpha waves
C. beta waves
D. delta waves

CORRECT ANSWER IS: alpha waves

2078. QUESTION: Under stressful conditions, there is a strong desire to affiliate with

A. anyone
B. experts
C. authority figures
D. others in the same stressful circumstances

CORRECT ANSWER IS: others in the same stressful circumstances

2079. QUESTION: Which of the following is a regulatory drive?

A. thirst
B. sex
C. curiosity
D. both a and b

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: thirst

2080. QUESTION: The theory of early attachment behaviors may be traced to innate psychological tendencies centers on the process of

A. affiliation
B. social facilitation
C. peer group pressure
D. imprinting

CORRECT ANSWER IS: imprinting

2081. QUESTION: In their experiments concerning cognitive influences on emotions, Schechter and Singer found that

A. "informed" subjects, in the presence of the angry confederate, became angry
B. "uninformed" subjects became either angry or euphoric, depending on the confederate's behavior
C. "informed" and "uninformed" subjects were equally affected by the actions of the confederate
D. "informed" subjects became angry but not euphoric in imitation of the confederate

CORRECT ANSWER IS: "uninformed" subjects became either angry or euphoric, depending on the confederate's behavior

2082. QUESTION: Physiologically, emotional responses take place

A. in the brain
B. in the sympathetic NS
C. in the autonomic NS
D. in all of the above

CORRECT ANSWER IS: in all of the above

2083. QUESTION: We like those people who agree with us. _____ found this dramatically to be true within his research

A. Milgram
B. Sherif
C. Festinger
D. Schechter

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: Schechter

2084. QUESTION: As her professor distributed the mathematics test to the class, Fatima's heart started to pound and her palms began sweating. These physiological reactions were activated by her _____ nervous system.

A. central
B. sympathetic
C. skeletal
D. parasympathetic

CORRECT ANSWER IS: sympathetic

2085. QUESTION: You would still be able to experience emotion in the absence of any sympathetic nervous system arousal according to the

A. Cannon-Bard theory
B. James-Lange theory
C. two-factor theory
D. catharsis hypothesis

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Cannon-Bard theory

2086. QUESTION: Which of the following is true?

A. Gestures are universal; facial expressions, culture-specific
B. facial expressions are universal; gestures, culture-specific
C. both gestures and facial expressions are universal
D. both gestures and facial expression are culture-specific

CORRECT ANSWER IS: facial expressions are universal; gestures, culture-specific

2087. QUESTION: The phrase that "the bodily changes follow directly the perception of the exciting fact and ?? our feeling of the same changes as they occur in the emotion expresses a central aspect of the

A. Cannon-Bard theory
B. Yerkes-Dodson law
C. James-Lange theory

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D. Schechter-Singer theory

CORRECT ANSWER IS: James-Lange theory

2088. QUESTION: Which theory of emotion implies that every emotion is associated with a unique physiological reaction?

A. James-Lange theory
B. Cannon-Bard theory
C. two-factor theory
D. opponent-process theory

CORRECT ANSWER IS: James-Lange theory

2089. QUESTION: The lie detector or polygraph is often used to ascertain an individual's guilt in a crime. It does this by measuring

A. brain waves and heart rate
B. brain waves and eye movement
C. heart rate, respiration and galvanic skin response
D. the truthfulness of an individual

CORRECT ANSWER IS: heart rate, respiration and galvanic skin response

2090. QUESTION: A peculiar, intoxication-type behavior in which a person loses normal control of his emotion is characteristic of

A. fatigue
B. oxygen starvation
C. thirst
D. hunger

CORRECT ANSWER IS: oxygen starvation

2091. QUESTION: Activation of the sympathetic nervous system _____ respiration and _____ salivation

A. increases, increases

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B. increases, decreases
C. decreases, decreases
D. decreases, increases

CORRECT ANSWER IS: increases, decreases

2092. QUESTION: We see something frightening _____ would say we run and then we are scared, _____ would say we are scared and then we run.

A. Solomon, Bernard
B. Selye, Lazarus
C. James, Cannon
D. Turner, Ortony

CORRECT ANSWER IS: James, Cannon

2093. QUESTION: The results of the experiment in which subjects were injected with epinephrine prior to spending time with either a euphoric or an irritated person support the idea that

A. some emotions can be experienced apart from cognition
B. our experience of emotion depends on how we interpret bodily arousal
C. there are subtle but distinct physiological differences among the emotions
D. happiness in largely a function of prior experience and a comparison with others

CORRECT ANSWER IS: our experience of emotion depends on how we interpret bodily arousal

2094. QUESTION: In an emergency situation, emotional arousal will result in

A. increased rate of respiration
B. increased blood sugar
C. a slowing of digestion
D. all of the above

CORRECT ANSWER IS: all of the above

2095. QUESTION: The arousal theory, stating that emotion precedes overt behavior and consists mainly of a general state of arousal or activation, is called the

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A. Cannon Bard theory
B. James Lange theory
C. general adaptation theory
D. paired arousal theory

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Cannon Bard theory

2096. QUESTION: When Berkowitz refers to the F-A hypothesis, he means

A. frustration-affection
B. frustration-aggression
C. feeling-affect
D. feeling aggression

CORRECT ANSWER IS: frustration-aggression

2097. QUESTION: Which division of the nervous system calms the body after an emergency passes?

A. skeletal
B. central
C. sympathetic
D. parasympathetic

CORRECT ANSWER IS: parasympathetic

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2098. QUESTION: You are in a state of physiological arousal. You look to those around you for cues regarding what you should be feeling. If they're panicky, you paniC. If they're depressed, you get depresseD. If they're hyper, you feel hyper. Which of the following would say, "I told you so"

A. Cannon-Bard
B. Schechter-Singer
C. James-Lange
D. Shaver-Gore

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Schechter-Singer

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2099. QUESTION: Our most rapid and automatic emotional responses may result from the routing of sensory input directly to the

A. hippocampus
B. hypothalamus
C. cerebellum
D. amygdala

CORRECT ANSWER IS: amygdala

2100. QUESTION: Most human fears are

A. universal
B. biologically determined
C. present at birth
D. learned

CORRECT ANSWER IS: learned

2101. QUESTION: Choose the word that does not belong in the set

A. ingestion of food
B. constriction of bronchi
C. decrease in heartbeat
D. pupil dilation

CORRECT ANSWER IS: pupil dilation

2102. QUESTION: The purpose of lie detection, investigators most commonly make us of a/an

A. electrocardiograph
B. electroencephalograph
C. myograph
D. polygraph

CORRECT ANSWER IS: polygraph

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2103. QUESTION: You are on your way to school to take a big exam. Suddenly on noticing that your pulse is racing and that you are sweating, you feel nervous. With which theory of emotion is experienced most consistent?

A. Cannon-Bard theory
B. James-Lange theory
C. opponent-process theory
D. adaptation-level theory

CORRECT ANSWER IS: James-Lange theory

2104. QUESTION: Someone well versed in kinesics (non-verbal communication) would be studying

A. personal, territorial space
B. the meaning of body movements
C. mass communication
D. brainwashing

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the meaning of body movements

2105. QUESTION: The most important benefit of biofeedback is its capacity to

A. encourage regular aerobic exercise
B. reduce the proliferation of lymphocytes
C. facilitate the relaxation response
D. elevate blood cortisol levels

CORRECT ANSWER IS: facilitate the relaxation response

2106. QUESTION: Lindsleys activation theory of emotion centers upon the role of

A. the limbic system
B. classical conditioning
C. the reticular formation
D. instrumental conditioning

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the limbic system

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2107. QUESTION: People are especially good at quickly detecting facial expressions of

A. love
B. anger
C. surprise
D. happiness

CORRECT ANSWER IS: anger

2108. QUESTION: When the scientist electrically stimulated one area of a monkey's brain, the monkey became angereD. When another electrode was activated, the monkey cowered in fear. The electrodes were most likely implanted in the

A. pituitary gland
B. adrenal glands
C. limbic system
D. right hemisphere

CORRECT ANSWER IS: limbic system

2109. QUESTION: Cannon and Bard sharply criticized the James-Lange theory on emotion by showing that

A. there were not different physiological patterns for different emotions
B. there were different physiological patterns for different emotions
C. the hypothalamus was not the "set of emotion"
D. we experience the emotion after perceiving the physiological change

CORRECT ANSWER IS: there were not different physiological patterns for different emotions

2110. QUESTION: Which division of the nervous system is especially involved in bringing about emotional arousal?

A. skeletal nervous system
B. parasympathetic nervous system
C. peripheral nervous system
D. sympathetic nervous system

CORRECT ANSWER IS: sympathetic nervous system

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2111. QUESTION: Which one of the following is an apparent bodily response to the emotions of resentment and hostility?

A. lower heart rate
B. lower blood pressure
C. lower breathing rate
D. increased stomach acidity

CORRECT ANSWER IS: increased stomach acidity

2112. QUESTION: Research on nonverbal communication indicates that

A. blind children who have never observed others demonstrate normal facial expressions of emotions
B. children learn the facial expression associated with emotion by observing adults
C. the facial expression of emotion on very young children are very difficult to interpret
D. boys are better than girls at recognizing expressions of emotions

CORRECT ANSWER IS: blind children who have never observed others demonstrate normal facial expressions of emotions

2113. QUESTION: The lowest frequency in brain waves occurs within the

A. alpha rhythm
B. beta rhythm
C. delta rhythm
D. theta rhythm

CORRECT ANSWER IS: delta rhythm

2114. QUESTION: Expressing anger can be adaptive when you

A. retaliate immediately
B. have mentally rehearsed all the reasons for your anger
C. count to ten, then blow off steam
D. first wait until the anger subsides, then deal with the situation in a civilized manner

CORRECT ANSWER IS: first wait until the anger subsides, then deal with the situation in a civilized manner

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2115. QUESTION: Concerning emotions and their accompanying body responses, which of the following appears to be true?

A. each emotion has its own body response and underlying brain circuit
B. all emotions involve the same body response as a result of the same underlying brain circuit
C. many emotions involve similar body responses but have different underlying brain circuits
D. all emotions have the same underlying brain circuits but different body responses

CORRECT ANSWER IS: many emotions involve similar body responses but have different underlying brain circuits

2116. QUESTION: Bandura's research on aggressive behavior mostly focusses on aggression as

A. an innate, inherited trait
B. a result of modeling
C. an instinctual drive common to most everyone
D. unrelated to rewards and punishments

CORRECT ANSWER IS: a result of modeling

2117. QUESTION: In order to effectively manage their emotions, people would be best advised to control their

A. tone of voice
B. facial expressions
C. body posture
D. blood pressure

CORRECT ANSWER IS: facial expressions

2118. QUESTION: The uncovering and discharge of repressed emotion is called

A. transference
B. abreaction
C. libido
D. projection

CORRECT ANSWER IS: abreaction

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2119. QUESTION: The part of the brain involved in the cognitive aspect of emotion is the

A. hypothalamus
B. amygdala
C. limbic system
D. cerebral cortex

CORRECT ANSWER IS: cerebral cortex

2120. QUESTION: Schechter and Singer's work with epinephrine demonstrated

A. the prevalence of an anger emotion over emotions of happiness
B. the validity of the Yerkes-Dodson law
C. the importance of external cues
D. the predominance of internal cues

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the importance of external cues

2121. QUESTION: The part of the brain involved in emotional responses for attacking or defending is the

A. cerebral cortex
B. amygdala
C. limbic system
D. hypothalamus

CORRECT ANSWER IS: limbic system

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2122. QUESTION: The Canon-Bard theory of emotion states that

A. emotion have two ingredients; physical arousal and a cognitive label
B. the conscious experience of an emotion occurs at the same time as the body's physical reaction
C. emotional experiences are based on an awareness of the body's responses to an emotion-arousing stimulus
D. emotional ups and downs tend to balance in the long run

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the conscious experience of an emotion occurs at the same time as the body's physical reaction

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2123. QUESTION: Which one of three psychologists thinks that aggression is an inborn tendency in all animals, including man?

A. Freud
B. Lorenz
C. Bandura
D. both a and b

CORRECT ANSWER IS: both a and b

2124. QUESTION: Facial expressions of anger are more likely to facilitate

A. autonomic nervous system arousal
B. the catharsis of hostile urges
C. feelings of love
D. empathy

CORRECT ANSWER IS: autonomic nervous system arousal

2125. QUESTION: The victim of a car accident has no physiological feeling in his body. He can, however, think and speak. The man notices that since the injury, his emotions have been practically nonexistent. This situation supports which theory of emotion?

A. James-Lange theory
B. Cannon-Bard theory
C. Sperry theory
D. post-traumatic stress theory

CORRECT ANSWER IS: James-Lange theory

2126. QUESTION: In contrast with an emotion, a mood is

A. more intense and longer in duration
B. less intense and shorter in duration
C. more intense and shorter in duration
D. less intense and longer in duration

CORRECT ANSWER IS: less intense and longer in duration

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2127. QUESTION: The body's response to danger is triggered by the release of _____ by the _____ glands

A. acetylcholine; adrenal
B. epinephrine and nor-epinephrine; adrenal
C. acetylcholine; pituitary
D. epinephrine and nor-epinephrine; pituitary

CORRECT ANSWER IS: epinephrine and nor-epinephrine; adrenal

2128. QUESTION: Electrical stimulation of which brain region can produce terror or rage is cats?

A. limbic system
B. hypothalamus
C. cortex
D. cerebellum

CORRECT ANSWER IS: limbic system

2129. QUESTION: Anger is to rage as fear is to

A. guilt
B. shame
C. disgust
D. terror

CORRECT ANSWER IS: terror

2130. QUESTION: Behavioral deliberately intended to injury or destroy is the psychological definition of

A. sociopathy
B. hostility
C. aggression
D. frustration

CORRECT ANSWER IS: aggression

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2131. QUESTION: The social norms concerning the public expression of various emotions are

A. display rules
B. conformity rules
C. stereotypical rules
D. affective rules

CORRECT ANSWER IS: display rules

2132. QUESTION: Experts generally agree that the primary emotions include

A. fear, anger and joy
B. disgust, anger and shame
C. love, joy and sadness
D. none of these

CORRECT ANSWER IS: none of these

2133. QUESTION: GSR measures

A. general synaptic response
B. specificity of auditory response
C. sweat-gland activity
D. kinesthetic reflex

CORRECT ANSWER IS: sweat-gland activity

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2134. QUESTION: Emergency reactions refer to

A. individuals attempt to cope with an emergency
B. bodily changes accompanying emotions of anger and fear
C. feeling of startle when suddenly stimulated
D. ways that the individual seeks to achieve emotional control

CORRECT ANSWER IS: individuals attempt to cope with an emergency

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2135. QUESTION: The term "catharsis" refers to emotional

A. disturbance
B. inhibition
C. release
D. adaptation

CORRECT ANSWER IS: release

2136. QUESTION: Stanley Schechter proposed that emotion is a product of _____ and _____

A. instincts, physical states
B. heredity, environment
C. motivation, learning
D. physiological arousal, cognitive appraisal

CORRECT ANSWER IS: physiological arousal, cognitive appraisal

2137. QUESTION: Emotions are

A. physiological reactions
B. behavioral expressions
C. conscious feelings
D. all of the above

CORRECT ANSWER IS: all of the above

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2138. QUESTION: Existing research suggests that the sight of a pleasurable object causes which one of the following measurable effects?

A. blurred vision
B. pupil dilation
C. lowered-heart rate
D. lowered blood pressure

CORRECT ANSWER IS: pupil dilation

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2139. QUESTION: The electroencephalogram relies upon

A. signals from single electrode attached to the forehead
B. signals from several pairs of electrodes attached to various parts of the scalp
C. polygraph rhythms
D. monitoring of rapid eye movements

CORRECT ANSWER IS: signals from several pairs of electrodes attached to various parts of the scalp

2140. QUESTION: The idea that anger is reduced through aggressive action or fantasy is known as the

A. adaptation-level principle
B. catharsis hypothesis
C. feel-good, do-good phenomenon
D. relative deprivation principle

CORRECT ANSWER IS: catharsis hypothesis

2141. QUESTION: A theory that states that emotions are a joint result of non-specific physiological arousal and the interpretation of the arousal is called

A. two-factor theory of emotions
B. James-Lange theory of emotions
C. Bard's theory of emotions
D. none of these

CORRECT ANSWER IS: James-Lange theory of emotions

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2142. QUESTION: Pupil diameter varies as a function of

A. serotonin levels
B. hunger
C. mental effort
D. tactile perception

CORRECT ANSWER IS: mental effort

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2143. QUESTION: Who wrote the classical book entitled "The Expression of Emotions in Man and Animals"?

A. James
B. Darwin
C. Lorenz
D. McDougall

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Darwin

2144. QUESTION: In the Schechter-Singer experiment, which subjects reported feeling an emotional change in the presence of the experiment's highly emotional confederate?

A. those receiving epinephrine and expecting to feel physical arousal
B. those receiving a placebo and expecting to feel physical arousal
C. those receiving epinephrine but not expecting to feel physical arousal
D. those receiving a placebo and not expecting to feel physical arousal

CORRECT ANSWER IS: those receiving epinephrine but not expecting to feel physical arousal

2145. QUESTION: Experts suggest that an intensely angry person should

A. avoid the offending person so as to alleviate the problem
B. release the anger through some aggressive action or fantasy
C. take time to let the anger and emotional arousal subside
D. mentally rehearse the exact reasons for the anger

CORRECT ANSWER IS: take time to let the anger and emotional arousal subside

2146. QUESTION: The opponent process theory has been prominent in the field of

A. vision
B. learning
C. neurosis
D. emotion

CORRECT ANSWER IS: emotion

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2147. QUESTION: The Canon-Bard theory of emotions emphasize the role of the

A. skeletal muscles
B. thalamus
C. hormonal system
D. all of these

CORRECT ANSWER IS: thalamus

2148. QUESTION: The feel-good, do-good phenomenon refers to the fact that when people feel happy they

A. experience a more positive self-image
B. perceive the world as a safer place
C. make decisions more effectively
D. are more willing to help others

CORRECT ANSWER IS: are more willing to help others

2149. QUESTION: William James's theory of emotional experience held that

A. emotions are primarily a product of learning
B. the physical reaction causes the emotional response
C. all responses are preceded by cognitive awareness
D. emotional patterns are based upon inherited tendencies

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the physical reaction causes the emotional response

2150. QUESTION: Catharsis will be most effective in reducing anger toward another person if

A. you wait until you are no longer angry before confronting the person
B. the target of your anger is someone you feel has power over you
C. your anger is directed specifically toward the person who angered you
D. the other person is able to retaliate by also expressing anger

CORRECT ANSWER IS: your anger is directed specifically toward the person who angered you

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2151. QUESTION: Suppose you met three strangers from Europe, Africa and AsiA. Which of the following would you notice about them?

A. their hand genitures for expressing anger would be the same
B. their body language would in general be the same
C. their facial expressions for expressing happiness would be the same
D. their vocal expressions for expressing surprise would be the same

CORRECT ANSWER IS: their facial expressions for expressing happiness would be the same

2152. QUESTION: Who suggested that "we feel sorry because we cry? afraid because we tremble?"

A. Stanley Schechter
B. William James
C. Walter Cannon
D. Philip Bard

CORRECT ANSWER IS: William James

2153. QUESTION: The basic components of emotions are

A. sympathetic arousal, parasympathetic inhibition and cognitive labeling
B. physical gestures, facial expression and psychological drives
C. expressive behavior, physiological arousal and conscious experience
D. cognition, affect and behavior

CORRECT ANSWER IS: expressive behavior, physiological arousal and conscious experience

2154. QUESTION: The James-Lange theory of emotion states that

A. the experience emotion is to be aware of one's physiological responses to an emotion-arousing event
B. the expression of emotion reduces one's level of physiological arousal
C. an emotion-arousing stimulus simultaneously triggers both physiological arousal and the subjective experience of emotion
D. to experience emotion one must be physically aroused and able to cognitively label the emotion

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the experience emotion is to be aware of one's physiological responses to an emotion-arousing event

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2155. QUESTION: Which of the following most accurately describes emotional arousal?

A. emotions prepare the body to fight or flee
B. emotions are voluntary reactions to emotion-arousing stimuli
C. because all emotions have the same physiological basis, emotions are primarily psychological events
D. emotional arousal is always accompanied by cognition

CORRECT ANSWER IS: emotions prepare the body to fight or flee

2156. QUESTION: Watson identified the three distinct emotional responses in the human infant as

A. love, rage, fear
B. love, rage, surprise
C. surprise, rage, fear
D. love, rage, distress

CORRECT ANSWER IS: love, rage, fear

2157. QUESTION: During an emergency, increasing levels of emotional arousal are likely to be accompanied by

A. slowing of digestion
B. decrease in blood sugar levels
C. increase in salivation
D. decrease in respiration

CORRECT ANSWER IS: slowing of digestion

2158. QUESTION: Which one of the following would be considered an operational definition in GSR lie detection?

A. changes in emotionality result in measurable physiological changes
B. changes in emotionality result in observable behavioral change
C. changes in emotionality result in changes of thought
D. changes in emotionality result in brain wave changes

CORRECT ANSWER IS: changes in emotionality result in measurable physiological changes

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2159. QUESTION: Evidence that neck-level spinal cord injuries reduce the intensity with which people experience certain emotions most directly supports the

A. Cannon-Bard theory
B. adaptation-level principle
C. James-Lange theory
D. catharsis hypothesis

CORRECT ANSWER IS: James-Lange theory

2160. QUESTION: Schechter's two factor theory emphasizes that emotion involves both

A. the sympathetic and parasympathetic divisions of the nervous system
B. verbal and nonverbal expression
C. physical arousal and a cognitive label
D. universal and culture-specific aspects

CORRECT ANSWER IS: physical arousal and a cognitive label

2161. QUESTION: Very high anger arousal causes which one of the following bodily responses?

A. lowered blood pressure
B. heightened visual acuity
C. dilation of blood vessels near the skin
D. lower blood sugar

CORRECT ANSWER IS: dilation of blood vessels near the skin

2162. QUESTION: A hormone that increases heart rate, blood pressure and blood sugar levels in times of emergency is

A. epinephrine
B. acetylcholine
C. testosterone
D. insulin

CORRECT ANSWER IS: epinephrine

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2163. QUESTION: "Stay calm!" this physiological system says. No "fight for fight" preparation here

A. sympathetic
B. parasympathetic
C. medulla
D. limbic system

CORRECT ANSWER IS: parasympathetic

2164. QUESTION: The idea that an emotion-arousing stimulus is simultaneously routed to the cortex and the sympathetic nervous system is central to the

A. James-Lange theory
B. two-factor theory
C. Canon-Bard theory
D. catharsis hypothesis

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Canon-Bard theory

2165. QUESTION: Which theory of emotion emphasizes the simultaneous experience of body response and emotional feeling?

A. James-Lange theory
B. Cannon-Bard theory
C. two-factor theory
D. opponent-process theory

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Cannon-Bard theory

2166. QUESTION: The Canon-Bard theory deals with the

A. thalamus and hypothalamus
B. corpus collosum
C. adrenal cortex
D. pineal gland

CORRECT ANSWER IS: thalamus and hypothalamus

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2167. QUESTION: Which of the following stages postulated by Erikson corresponds most closely to Freud's oral stage of development?

A. trust vs mistrust
B. initiative vs guilt
C. integrity vs despair
D. incorporation vs dependence

CORRECT ANSWER IS: trust vs mistrust

2168. QUESTION: A person who is high in both masculinity and femininity is said to be

A. transsexual
B. mesomorphic
C. androgynous
D. bisexual

CORRECT ANSWER IS: androgynous

2169. QUESTION: Jung's chief criticism of Freudian theory was mostly directed against Freud's

A. overemphasis on the defense mechanisms
B. insistence that sexual motives were the basis of neurosis
C. teleological tendencies
D. strong emphasis on ego functioning

CORRECT ANSWER IS: insistence that sexual motives were the basis of neurosis

2170. QUESTION: Within Newcomb's A-B-X model, if person A like X, person B like X, and person A dislikes person B, the triad is said to be

A. cooriented
B. congruent
C. inoculated
D. asymmetric

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: asymmetric

2171. QUESTION: Which of the following is not directly related to clinical assessment?

A. MMPI
B. Osgood Semantic Differential
C. Rorschach
D. TAT

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Osgood Semantic Differential

2172. QUESTION: According to Freud, a developmental halt due to frustration and anxiety is referred to as

A. depression
B. fixation
C. regression
D. learned helplessness

CORRECT ANSWER IS: fixation

2173. QUESTION: Which of the following concepts is most closely related to Allport?

A. striving for superiority
B. moving away from others
C. object displacement
D. functional autonomy

CORRECT ANSWER IS: functional autonomy

2174. QUESTION: Adler's individual psychology is associated with all of the following concepts except

A. superiority strivings
B. inferiority
C. introversion / extroversion
D. fictional finalism

CORRECT ANSWER IS: introversion / extroversion

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2175. QUESTION: The Thematic Appreciation Test is an example of a/an

A. intelligence test
B. projective test
C. cross-cultural test
D. achievement test

CORRECT ANSWER IS: projective test

2176. QUESTION: Which archetype represents the feminine side of men?

A. persona
B. anima
C. animus
D. shadow

CORRECT ANSWER IS: anima

2177. QUESTION: In Adler's approach to personality, the presence of an inferiority complex within person will be followed by

A. heightened sexual activity
B. need for maternal love
C. desire for peace
D. superiority striving

CORRECT ANSWER IS: superiority striving

2178. QUESTION: Sara's frustrated desire for closeness with her mother was expressed in painting. This is an example of

A. compensation
B. sublimation
C. rationalization
D. projection

CORRECT ANSWER IS: sublimation

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2179. QUESTION: Which of the following behavioral theorists is/are most closely associated with psychoanalytic theory?

A. Albert Bandura
B. Raymond Cattell
C. Gordon Allport
D. John Dollard and Neal Miller

CORRECT ANSWER IS: John Dollard and Neal Miller

2180. QUESTION: A person who is impatient, compulsive and competitive is likely to be diagnosed as having a/an

A. type A personality
B. type B personality
C. Machiavellian personality
D. external locus of control

CORRECT ANSWER IS: type A personality

2181. QUESTION: Defense mechanisms are cheated by the

A. id
B. ego
C. superego
D. persona

CORRECT ANSWER IS: ego

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2182. QUESTION: According to the Life Change Scale, which of the following events would be most stressful?

A. marital separation
B. retirement
C. marriage
D. son or daughter leaving home

CORRECT ANSWER IS: marital separation

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2183. QUESTION: Which of the following best describes Kelly's basic approach to personality?

A. behavior is determined by unconscious forces
B. behavior is determined by the family structure
C. people have a need to control the environment
D. people have a hierarchy of needs

CORRECT ANSWER IS: people have a need to control the environment

2184. QUESTION: The psychopathology of everyday life was a prominent work of

A. Jung
B. Skinner
C. Freud
D. Adler

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Freud

2185. QUESTION: A seventeen year old girl sits in a corner, weeping continually. This behavior could be

A. hypochondria
B. nomadism
C. repression
D. regression

CORRECT ANSWER IS: regression

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2186. QUESTION: Which of the following is not characteristic of MMPI?

A. it consists of ten clinical scales
B. it contains validity scales
C. it was developed within specific theoretical framework
D. it employs a self-report method of answering questions

CORRECT ANSWER IS: it was developed within specific theoretical framework

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2187. QUESTION: Resolution of an avoidance - avoidance conflict is most like

A. choosing between a pay raise and a different job
B. choosing between a pay raise and a longer vacation
C. choosing between the carrot and the stick
D. choosing the lesser of two evils

CORRECT ANSWER IS: choosing the lesser of two evils

2188. QUESTION: According to the expectancy value theory

A. unattractive women are likely to find attractive male partners
B. males and females of equal attractiveness are likely to be matched
C. extrovert personality types are likely to pair with introverts
D. attitudes will change in the direction of one's behavior

CORRECT ANSWER IS: males and females of equal attractiveness are likely to be matched

2189. QUESTION: The main difference between Minnesota Multiphasic Inventory (MMPI) and the California Personality Inventory (CPI) is that

A. the CPI is more applicable to "normal" groups
B. the MMPI is more applicable to "normal" groups
C. the CPI is a projective test
D. the CPI is based on the DSM-IV

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the CPI is more applicable to "normal" groups

2190. QUESTION: The "Interpretation of Dreams" was written by

A. Carl Jung
B. Sigmund Freud
C. Ernest Jones
D. Alferd Adler

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Sigmund Freud

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2191. QUESTION: Most basic among Freudian defense mechanisms is

A. rationalization
B. reaction formation
C. identification
D. repression

CORRECT ANSWER IS: repression

2192. QUESTION: Purposive behavior in animals and men was the major work written by

A. Skinner
B. Thorndike
C. Pavlov
D. Tolman

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Tolman

2193. QUESTION: A commonly used projective personality test is

A. MMPI
B. BDI
C. Rorschach
D. CPI

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Rorschach

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2194. QUESTION: Interest in the genital, coming to terms with Oedipal/Electra conflict, leading to identification with same-sex parent, occurs during

A. anal stage
B. latency period
C. phallic stage
D. genital stage

CORRECT ANSWER IS: phallic stage

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2195. QUESTION: A unique combination of traits is called

A. motivation
B. personality
C. lifecycle
D. attitude

CORRECT ANSWER IS: personality

2196. QUESTION: One of the principle concepts of a _____ psychologist is that of "unconscious processes"

A. humanistic
B. psychoanalytic
C. cognitive
D. behavioral

CORRECT ANSWER IS: psychoanalytic

2197. QUESTION: Freud believed that the primary force in an individual's life was

A. the superego
B. psychosexual development
C. sexual urge
D. bodily function

CORRECT ANSWER IS: sexual urge

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2198. QUESTION: "Make up as dramatic a story as you can. Tell what has led up to the event shown in the picture, describe what is happening at the moment, what the characters are feeling and thinking; and then give the outcome." This constitutes part of the procedure for

A. MMPI
B. Rorschach
C. TAT
D. Blacky

CORRECT ANSWER IS: TAT

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2199. QUESTION: The Oedipal conflict is successfully resolved when the child

A. identifies with the opposite-sex parent
B. identifies with the same-sex parent
C. achieves satisfactory toilet training
D. has been satisfactorily weaned

CORRECT ANSWER IS: identifies with the same-sex parent

2200. QUESTION: Which of the following is best example of an idiographic approach to personality?

A. a psychologist uses factor analysis to analyze the results of a personality trait
B. a psychologist analyzes case studies to determine each person's unique personality structure
C. a psychologist analyzes case studies to determine what traits people vary on
D. a psychologist studies normal subjects, not abnormal ones

CORRECT ANSWER IS: a psychologist analyzes case studies to determine each person's unique personality structure

2201. QUESTION: Which one of the following would be most likely to use the term "ergs" in discussing personality concepts?

A. Eysenck
B. Cattell
C. Jung
D. Rogers

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Cattell

2202. QUESTION: In Jungian theory, the "shadow" represents

A. unconscious drives
B. the animus
C. the anima
D. the persona

CORRECT ANSWER IS: unconscious drives

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2203. QUESTION: The central difference between Freud's pleasure principle and his reality principle is that

A. the reality principle is more salient early in life
B. the pleasure principle can only be understood through hypnosis
C. the reality principle responds to demands from the environment by delaying gratification
D. the reality principle only emerges in individuals who are self-actualized

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the reality principle responds to demands from the environment by delaying gratification

2204. QUESTION: Competitive, aggressive, hostile, impatient ?. Finds waiting in lines the absolute pits. This person would be considered

A. type A personality
B. cyclothymic
C. type B personality
D. avoidant personality

CORRECT ANSWER IS: type A personality

2205. QUESTION: "The aim of all life is death". This quote from Sigmund Freud's work refers to

A. Thanatos
B. Eros
C. the death instinct
D. the struggle between Eros and Thanatos

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the struggle between Eros and Thanatos

2206. QUESTION: Subjects are presented with one of the following learning experiences; Condition 1: Learn A - Learn B - Recall A and Condition 2: Learn A - Learn B - Recall B. If a subject in condition 1 cannot recall A, it is probably due to

A. proactive inhibition
B. interference learning
C. retroactive inhibition
D. the isolation effect

CORRECT ANSWER IS: retroactive inhibition

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2207. QUESTION: The socially "good" or "proper" within Freudian theory is conceptually defined as the

A. id
B. ego
C. superego
D. archetype

CORRECT ANSWER IS: superego

2208. QUESTION: Which one of the following lists does not contain a name associated with need in personality theory?

A. Jung, Murray, Eysenck
B. Eysenck, Maslow, Jung
C. Maslow, Freud, Bandura
D. Freud, Bandura, Jung

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Freud, Bandura, Jung

2209. QUESTION: According to Julian Rotter, someone who credits her success to luck and fate is exhibiting a personality characteristic known as

A. belief in a just world
B. extroversion
C. internal locus of control
D. external locus of control

CORRECT ANSWER IS: external locus of control

2210. QUESTION: According to Carl Rogers, the structure of the personality is based on

A. ego and superego
B. organism and self
C. inferiority and superiority
D. introversion and extraversion

CORRECT ANSWER IS: organism and self

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2211. QUESTION: Stage theories of personality include

A. Allport
B. Adler
C. Horney
D. Erikson

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Erikson

2212. QUESTION: Eysenck's personality framework contains which of the following among its main dimensions?

A. parapraxes - syntaxic
B. depressive - obsessional
C. hysteric - psychopathic
D. introversion - extraversion

CORRECT ANSWER IS: introversion - extraversion

2213. QUESTION: Sublimation is an example of

A. a personality mechanism
B. a defense mechanism
C. the primary personality process
D. the secondary personality process

CORRECT ANSWER IS: a defense mechanism

2214. QUESTION: The importance of vicarious learning was most clearly demonstrated by

A. Carl Jung
B. Raymond Cattell
C. Albert Bandura
D. Keller Breland

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Albert Bandura

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2215. QUESTION: Which one of the following pairs is incorrect?

A. Mowrer - two factor theory
B. Rogers - contract
C. Jung - shadow
D. Adler - superiority striving

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Rogers - contract

2216. QUESTION: Correctly paired is

A. Freud - psychodynamic
B. Sullivan - interpersonal
C. Maslow - logotherapy
D. Mowrer - reciprocal inhibition

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Sullivan - interpersonal

2217. QUESTION: C. G. Jung is associated with each of the following except

A. the collective unconscious
B. extroversion / introversion
C. archetypes
D. peak experiences

CORRECT ANSWER IS: peak experiences

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2218. QUESTION: The theory that we all experience a series of psychosocial crises throughout our lives was proposed by

A. Freud
B. Erikson
C. Sheldon
D. Adler

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Erikson

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2219. QUESTION: The soldier who in the heat of battle curls up in a fetal position and cries is demonstrating

A. phobia
B. regression
C. psychosomatic disorder
D. obsessive compulsion

CORRECT ANSWER IS: regression

2220. QUESTION: A man continues to hunt animals even though he does not need them for fooD. According to Gordon Allport, this is an example of

A. functional autonomy
B. ego autonomy
C. motivational autonomy
D. self-reinforcement

CORRECT ANSWER IS: functional autonomy

2221. QUESTION: To predict vocational interest you would be well advised to turn to which of the following?

A. 16-PF
B. Rorschach
C. Strong-Campbell Vocational Interest Bank
D. Allport-Vernon-Lindzey

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Strong-Campbell Vocational Interest Bank

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2222. QUESTION: A school psychologist wishes to test a second-grade student for possible mental retardation. The most appropriate test to use would probably be the

A. MMPI
B. Stanford-Binet Intelligence test
C. WAIS
D. Thematic Appreciation Test

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Stanford-Binet Intelligence test

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2223. QUESTION: Analytical psychology was developed by

A. Franklin
B. Jung
C. Adler
D. Freud

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Jung

2224. QUESTION: The 16PF scale is based on the work of

A. Eysenck
B. Allport
C. Sheldon
D. Cattell

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Cattell

2225. QUESTION: "Sour grapes" is an example of the defense mechanism called

A. reaction formation
B. compensation
C. compartmentalization
D. rationalization

CORRECT ANSWER IS: rationalization

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2226. QUESTION: Which of the following terms refers to an approach to personality that focuses on individual case studies as opposed to groups?

A. individuated
B. field-independent
C. idiographic
D. cardinal

CORRECT ANSWER IS: idiographic

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2227. QUESTION: In the Freudian system, defense mechanisms protect against which one of the following?

A. repression
B. superego
C. id
D. ego

CORRECT ANSWER IS: id

2228. QUESTION: The Yerkes-Dodson Law is most closely related to

A. Skinner's learning model of personality
B. Roger's humanistic model of personality
C. Eysenck's biological model of personality
D. Sheldon's somatotype model of personality

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Eysenck's biological model of personality

2229. QUESTION: The basic theoretical background for the Myers-Briggs test is found in the work of

A. Jung
B. Erikson
C. Horney
D. Hartmann

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Jung

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2230. QUESTION: The approaches of Horney and Adler shared an emphasis on

A. the importance of biological instincts
B. the role of repressed sexual drives
C. the significance of social relationships in psychological development
D. the coordination between actual and perceived self images

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the significance of social relationships in psychological development

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2231. QUESTION: The MMPI is to psychopathology as the CPI is to

A. IQ
B. childhood
C. normalcy
D. objectivity

CORRECT ANSWER IS: normalcy

2232. QUESTION: The most mature view of sex would be evident in

A. genital stage
B. phallic stage
C. anal stage
D. puberty

CORRECT ANSWER IS: genital stage

2233. QUESTION: Franz Joseph Gall is most closely associated with

A. ectomorphism
B. phrenology
C. tabula rasa
D. eugenics

CORRECT ANSWER IS: phrenology

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2234. QUESTION: When the superego becomes a major force in a developing child's personality, the child soon develops

A. anxieties
B. a moral sense
C. neurotic conflicts
D. hedonism

CORRECT ANSWER IS: a moral sense

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2235. QUESTION: "This is a story telling test. Tell what has happened before and what is happening no. Say what the people are feeling and thinking and how it will come out". These are instructions associated with the _____ in personality

A. Rorschach test
B. 16 PF
C. Myers-Briggs Test
D. Thematic Appreciation Test

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Thematic Appreciation Test

2236. QUESTION: In the psychoanalytic view, childhood negativism can be expected during which one of the following stages?

A. oral
B. anal
C. phallic
D. latent

CORRECT ANSWER IS: anal

2237. QUESTION: Rotter's Locus of Control Scale attempts to measure

A. independence - dependence
B. internality - externality
C. rationality - irrationality
D. masculine - feminine characteristics

CORRECT ANSWER IS: internality - externality

2238. QUESTION: According to Freud, the Oedipal conflict is normally resolved during which of the following stages?

A. oral
B. genital
C. phallic
D. anal

CORRECT ANSWER IS: phallic

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2239. QUESTION: A person who judges personality on the basis of facial expression is engaging in

A. phrenology
B. physiognomy
C. trait analysis
D. parataxis

CORRECT ANSWER IS: physiognomy

2240. QUESTION: Regions and boundaries are central to the personality theory of

A. George Kelly
B. Karen Horney
C. John Dollard
D. Kurt Lewin

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Kurt Lewin

2241. QUESTION: According to Carl Rogers, the structure of the personality is based upon

A. being and non-being
B. introversion and extroversion
C. the organism and the self
D. expectations and reality

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the organism and the self

2242. QUESTION: He is social behaviorist who devised an Internal-External Control Scale

A. Allport
B. Rotter
C. Harris
D. Maslow

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Rotter

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2243. QUESTION: In psychoanalysis, the castration fear appears

A. within both sexes during the genital stage
B. among boys during the genital stage
C. among girls during the anal sadistic stage
D. among boys during the phallic stage

CORRECT ANSWER IS: among boys during the phallic stage

2244. QUESTION: The admonition that "you shouldn't take more love than you give" is most directly supported by

A. equity theory
B. the halo effect
C. the mere exposure effect
D. social comparison theory

CORRECT ANSWER IS: equity theory

2245. QUESTION: Which of these tests did McClelland first use to measure the need for achievement?

A. Bayley Scale
B. Wechsler Adult intelligent Scale
C. Thematic Appreciation Test
D. Minnesota Multiphasic Personality Inventory

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Thematic Appreciation Test

2246. QUESTION: According to psychoanalytic theory, defense mechanisms develop as a function of

A. repression
B. reaction formation
C. anxiety
D. depression

CORRECT ANSWER IS: anxiety

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2247. QUESTION: A factor analysis approach to personality would be most positively received within which of the following groups?

A. Cattell, Eysenck, Goldstein
B. Jung, Freud, Horney
C. Rogers, Kelly, Allport
D. Skinner, Watson, Bandura

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Cattell, Eysenck, Goldstein

2248. QUESTION: Which of the following is the best example of reactance?

A. a toddler is told that he can go out to play after he cleans his room
B. a student refuses to do homework because the members of his in-group refuse to do homework
C. two friends continue to go out with each other even though they don?t love each other anymore
D. a mother tells her child not to start smoking, so the child goes in back of the garage and smokes

CORRECT ANSWER IS: a mother tells her child not to start smoking, so the child goes in back of the garage and smokes

2249. QUESTION: According to Alfred Adler, man is striving for

A. self-actualization
B. power
C. superiority and goals
D. leadership

CORRECT ANSWER IS: superiority and goals

2250. QUESTION: A woman who is angry with her husband yells at her son and sends him out of her room. This might be an example of

A. repression
B. regression
C. displacement
D. projection

CORRECT ANSWER IS: displacement

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2251. QUESTION: A person gets a good grade on midterm exam and believes that the good grade was due to an easy test. This statement is most relevant to _____

A. Abraham Maslow
B. Julian Rotter
C. Gordon Allport
D. Raymond Cattell

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Julian Rotter

2252. QUESTION: Which one of the following has said in regard to personality that every child is a scientist, developing and testing his own hypothesis?

A. Freud
B. Kelly
C. Rogers
D. Allport

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Kelly

2253. QUESTION: According to Carl Rogers, human motivation is based on the need to

A. express one's sexuality and aggressive nature
B. actualize and enhance the self through experiences
C. find meaning in life
D. struggle between being and not being in the world

CORRECT ANSWER IS: actualize and enhance the self through experiences

2254. QUESTION: Fatima refuses to study for an exam, saying that the fate will decide her grade. Which of the following provide plausible explanations for her behavior?

A. self-monitoring
B. the placebo effect
C. the halo effect
D. locus of control

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: locus of control

2255. QUESTION: According to Freud, fixation at which stage of development is associated with sarcasm, criticalness, overeating and nail-biting in adults?

A. oral
B. anal
C. phallic
D. latency

CORRECT ANSWER IS: oral

2256. QUESTION: The field theory of behavior was proposed by

A. John Watson
B. Ivan Pavlov
C. Wilhelm Wundt
D. Kurt Lewin

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Kurt Lewin

2257. QUESTION: The sociological school of psychoanalysis as represented by such theorists as Adler and Horney, is different from Freud in its

A. emphasis on cognitive/ rational elements of personality
B. decreased emphasis on the individuality of behavior
C. institution of the ego with the same instinctual origin as the id
D. increased emphasis on environmental influences on personality

CORRECT ANSWER IS: increased emphasis on environmental influences on personality

2258. QUESTION: The personality approaches of Cattell and Eysenck rely heavily upon

A. inner forces
B. percept and concept
C. observable action
D. factor analysis

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: factor analysis

2259. QUESTION: The id draws its psychic energy from

A. outer energy
B. bodily instincts
C. the ego
D. the superego

CORRECT ANSWER IS: bodily instincts

2260. QUESTION: The Thematic Appreciation Test supposedly reflects

A. how one organizes ambiguous stimuli
B. one's overall level of introversion - extroversion
C. interpersonal conflicts and needs
D. one's relative ranking on several trait scales

CORRECT ANSWER IS: interpersonal conflicts and needs

2261. QUESTION: A subject listens to a tape recording of an ambiguous sound and is asked to describe what he hearD. This is most analogous to which of the following tests?

A. CPI
B. Thematic Appreciation Test
C. Blacky Pictures
D. Rorschach inkblot test

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Rorschach inkblot test

2262. QUESTION: Definitionally central to personality as viewed within behaviorism is

A. inner motivation
B. percept and concept
C. observable action
D. reenactment of birth trauma

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: observable action

2263. QUESTION: Which of the following statements is not characteristic of the ego, according to Freud?

A. the ego is in the service of the id
B. the ego mediates between the id and the superego
C. the ego is governed by the reality principle
D. the ego aims to discharge energy

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the ego aims to discharge energy

2264. QUESTION: Jung cites human infant response to mother-closeness and the adult concept of a power beyond himself as examples of

A. anima
B. animus
C. prototype
D. archetype

CORRECT ANSWER IS: archetype

2265. QUESTION: According to Carl Jung's personality theory, the terms "anima" and "animus" refer to

A. the collective unconscious
B. the personal unconsciousness
C. feminine and masculine archetypes
D. the animal instincts in man's unconscious

CORRECT ANSWER IS: feminine and masculine archetypes

2266. QUESTION: People will tend to stay in a relationship if there rewards outweigh their costs. This is predicted by

A. social-exchange theory
B. equity theory
C. gain-loss principle
D. social comparison theory

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: social-exchange theory

2267. QUESTION: Which of the following psychoanalytic theorists proposed the need to move toward people, move against people, and move away from people?

A. Sullivan
B. Horney
C. Anderson
D. Adler

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Horney

2268. QUESTION: According to Jung, Anima is

A. the developmental phase of mid-life
B. a male's unconscious feminine characteristics
C. the dark side of the personal unconscious
D. a female's unconscious male characteristics

CORRECT ANSWER IS: a male's unconscious feminine characteristics

2269. QUESTION: According to Adler, the central core of personality functioning is a/an

A. perceived sense of inferiority for which the person attempts to compensate
B. autonomous functioning ego
C. actualizing self
D. both b and c

CORRECT ANSWER IS: perceived sense of inferiority for which the person attempts to compensate

2270. QUESTION: Suppose that a young woman is anxious about the fact that she no longer loves her husbanD. She copes by telling him. "You don?t love me anymore". Which defense mechanism is she using?

A. denial
B. reaction formation
C. transference

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D. projection

CORRECT ANSWER IS: projection

2271. QUESTION: The correct order of the stages of Freud's theory of development is

A. oral, phallic, latency, anal, and genital
B. oral, latency, phallic, anal, and genital
C. oral, anal, phallic, latency, and genital
D. phallic, oral, latency, anal, and genital

CORRECT ANSWER IS: oral, anal, phallic, latency, and genital

2272. QUESTION: The personality theorist who developed the Internal-External Control Scale was

A. B. F. Skinner
B. Alfred Adler
C. Julian Rotter
D. John Watson

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Julian Rotter

2273. QUESTION: According to Freud, memories and drives that can be easily recalled are not within consciousness at the moment are in the

A. personal unconscious
B. collective unconscious
C. preconscious
D. unconscious

CORRECT ANSWER IS: preconscious

2274. QUESTION: The personality test that is used mainly as a diagnostic instrument to differentiate between normal people and those with psychiatric problems is the

A. CPI
B. TAT

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C. MMPI
D. Q-technique

CORRECT ANSWER IS: MMPI

2275. QUESTION: According to Erik Erikson, a young adult would be most concerned with which of the following issues?

A. identity
B. sex-typed behavior
C. achievement
D. intimacy

CORRECT ANSWER IS: intimacy

2276. QUESTION: Freud developed the concept of Eros, which is the

A. death instinct
B. life instinct
C. third developmental stage
D. regressive potential

CORRECT ANSWER IS: life instinct

2277. QUESTION: In Freud's theory, which stage occurs after the phallic stage of development?

A. anal
B. talent
C. oral
D. self-actualization

CORRECT ANSWER IS: talent

2278. QUESTION: Long term studies indicate that personality

A. is constantly changing as a result of experience
B. remains fairly consistent after the first seven years
C. is predominantly innate and little influenced by environment

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D. is too complex a subject to systematically study

CORRECT ANSWER IS: remains fairly consistent after the first seven years

2279. QUESTION: A hostile person comes to believe that other people are "out to get" him. According to Freudian theory this man is

A. sublimating
B. identifying
C. projecting
D. rationalization

CORRECT ANSWER IS: projecting

2280. QUESTION: Conscience and morality are conceptually defined within the Freudian theory as the

A. conscious
B. preconscious
C. ego
D. superego

CORRECT ANSWER IS: superego

2281. QUESTION: According to the tenets of family constellation, which one of the following would be most eager for physical demonstrations of attention?

A. first-born children
B. middle children
C. last-born children
D. youngest children

CORRECT ANSWER IS: middle children

2282. QUESTION: In Karen Horney's psychoanalytic theory, the fundamental concept is

A. basic anxiety
B. need to love

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C. self actualization
D. need to be loved

CORRECT ANSWER IS: basic anxiety

2283. QUESTION: Erikson's developmental theory centered around

A. biological forces
B. cognitive changes
C. moral development
D. psychosocial crises

CORRECT ANSWER IS: psychosocial crises

2284. QUESTION: Suppose that a young woman is anxious about the fact that she no longer loves her husbanD. She copes by telling him. "I love you". Which defense mechanism is she using?

A. rationalization
B. denial
C. reaction formation
D. intellectualization

CORRECT ANSWER IS: reaction formation

2285. QUESTION: According to Freud's Oedipus complex, a _____ lusts for _____

A. young girl, her father
B. man, his wife
C. young boy, his mother
D. brother, his sister

CORRECT ANSWER IS: young boy, his mother

2286. QUESTION: Because the id seeks to gratify its desires without delay, it operates on the

A. satisfaction principle
B. pleasure principle

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C. unconscious desires
D. super ego

CORRECT ANSWER IS: pleasure principle

2287. QUESTION: Freud referred to libido energy invested in the ego as

A. instinct
B. object libido
C. regressive libido
D. narcissistic libido

CORRECT ANSWER IS: narcissistic libido

2288. QUESTION: The most broadly used personality assessment instrument is

A. TAT
B. MMPI
C. Rorschach
D. Draw-a-Man

CORRECT ANSWER IS: MMPI

2289. QUESTION: Trait theory in personality has been most criticized for

A. not addressing heredity
B. having contradictory dimensions
C. attempting to quantify the impossible
D. assuming that people behave consistently in various situations

CORRECT ANSWER IS: assuming that people behave consistently in various situations

2290. QUESTION: Anna Freud continued her father's work by making contributions to our understanding of

A. Eros and Thanatos
B. ego-defense mechanisms
C. the id

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D. the phallic stage

CORRECT ANSWER IS: ego-defense mechanisms

2291. QUESTION: Which of the following concepts are most closely related?

A. denial - self fulfilling prophecy
B. primacy - recognition
C. repression - motivated forgetting
D. delay of reinforcement - transfer of training

CORRECT ANSWER IS: repression - motivated forgetting

2292. QUESTION: Erich Fromm's concept of the "hoarding orientation" refers most closely to

A. a person's need for profit
B. the need to save and possess
C. a person's style of taking from others
D. the need for submission and dependence

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the need to save and possess

2293. QUESTION: The process of excluding from the unconsciousness the ideas and feelings which cause guilt and shame. This process is known as

A. projection
B. repression
C. reaction formation
D. regression

CORRECT ANSWER IS: repression

2294. QUESTION: An obese person refuses to diet and insists that dieting is unhealthy and that he needs to eat as much as he does to sustain his energy level. According to Freud, this person is

A. sublimating
B. identifying

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C. rationalization
D. projecting

CORRECT ANSWER IS: rationalization

2295. QUESTION: Carl Jung believed that

A. sex and aggression were the basic components of human personality
B. reward and punishment shape personality
C. we unconsciously carry the memories of our ancestors
D. fantasies are unhealthy

CORRECT ANSWER IS: we unconsciously carry the memories of our ancestors

2296. QUESTION: Which of the following pairs contains "unrelated" terms?

A. Thanatos - Eros
B. script - contract
C. endomorph - ectomorph
D. parapraxes - anima

CORRECT ANSWER IS: parapraxes - anima

2297. QUESTION: The California Psychological Inventory differs from the Minnesota Multiphasic Personality Inventory in that it is used

A. with children
B. on more clinically deviant group
C. with adolescents
D. on less clinically deviant groups

CORRECT ANSWER IS: on less clinically deviant groups

2298. QUESTION: Freud postulated that a child enters the _____ stage of psychosexual development at about age two

A. latent
B. phallic

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C. anal
D. oral

CORRECT ANSWER IS: anal

2299. QUESTION: Which of the following was particularly interested in the effect of birth order on personality?

A. Rogers
B. Adler
C. Sullivan
D. Sheldon

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Adler

2300. QUESTION: An individual sternly gives orders in his own home and obediently follows orders at work. This person might score particularly high on the

A. TAT
B. Rotter Locus of Control Scale
C. CPI
D. F-scale

CORRECT ANSWER IS: F-scale

2301. QUESTION: Which of the following psychologists places special emphasis on the need for positive regard and the need for self-regard?

A. Maslow
B. Rogers
C. Sheldon
D. Franklin

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Rogers

2302. QUESTION: The ego defense mechanism that children rely on to reduce fear of their same sex parent during the latency period of development is

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A. identification
B. reaction formation
C. projection
D. denial

CORRECT ANSWER IS: identification

2303. QUESTION: The centers of Freud's theory is the thoughts, impulses, wishes and motivations of which we are unaware

A. conditioning concept
B. unconsciousness
C. multivariate construct
D. biological motivation proposition

CORRECT ANSWER IS: unconsciousness

2304. QUESTION: Word association tests and sentence completion tests are example of

A. verbal techniques
B. verbal projective tests
C. projective techniques
D. subjective tests

CORRECT ANSWER IS: verbal projective tests

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2305. QUESTION: A correct sequential or development order is represented by

A. ego, superego, id
B. anal, oral, phallic
C. inferiority feeling, superiority striving
D. autonomy vs shame and doubt; trust vs mistrust

CORRECT ANSWER IS: inferiority feeling, superiority striving

2306. QUESTION: Interpretation of the Thematic Appreciation Test is usually

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A. factor analysis
B. content analysis
C. quantitative analysis
D. qualitative analysis

CORRECT ANSWER IS: content analysis

2307. QUESTION: Either too much or too little gratification at a particular stage of development, thought Freud leads to _____

A. identity complex
B. regression
C. denial
D. fixation

CORRECT ANSWER IS: fixation

2308. QUESTION: According to Allport, which of the following are the two important components of behavior?

A. ego body and superego components
B. adaptive and expressive components
C. personal conscious and collective conscious
D. introversion and extroversion components

CORRECT ANSWER IS: adaptive and expressive components

2309. QUESTION: Gordon Allport is known for what type of approach to understanding personality?

A. personal construct
B. Nomothetic
C. ideographic
D. factor analysis

CORRECT ANSWER IS: ideographic

2310. QUESTION: An example of a conjunction fallacy is believing that

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A. stress leads to heart attacks
B. smoking leads to lung cancer
C. constantly pushing the elevator button makes it come sooner
D. alcohol can cause birth defects

CORRECT ANSWER IS: constantly pushing the elevator button makes it come sooner

2311. QUESTION: The Rotter Incomplete Sentence Blank is a/an

A. objective testing technique
B. intelligence test
C. projective test
D. internality/externality assessment scale

CORRECT ANSWER IS: projective test

2312. QUESTION: Which one of the following name sequences contains no mental hospital reformers?

A. Clifford Beers, Sigmund Freud
B. Eric Fromm, Carl Rogers
C. William Tuke, Hans Hartmann
D. Dorothea Dix, Alfred Adler

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Eric Fromm, Carl Rogers

2313. QUESTION: A theory formulated by Freud which supports aggression as a means of releasing inner tension is known as

A. congruity theory
B. catharsis theory
C. instrumental aggression
D. frustration-aggression theory

CORRECT ANSWER IS: catharsis theory

2314. QUESTION: Which of the following is a key difference between Freud and Erikson's theories of development?

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A. only Freud saw that development might be arrested
B. only Erikson saw that development might be arrested
C. only Erikson saw development as a lifelong process
D. only Freud saw development as a lifelong process

CORRECT ANSWER IS: only Erikson saw development as a lifelong process

2315. QUESTION: The "Oedipus Complex" is to "Electra Complex" as

A. girl is to boy
B. girl is to mother
C. boy is to girl
D. boy is to father

CORRECT ANSWER IS: boy is to girl

2316. QUESTION: Which of the following theorists has been recognized for cheating a developmental theory that covers the entire life span?

A. Abraham Maslow
B. Lawrence Kohlberg
C. Erik Erikson
D. Jean Piaget

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Erik Erikson

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2317. QUESTION: The nativist explanation of the fact that one week old babies already exhibit different personality traits would be

A. personality is already being shaped by the environment
B. an easy or difficult delivery makes the differences
C. personality is predominantly genetically inherited
D. temperament is a matter of glandular function so it varies from baby to baby

CORRECT ANSWER IS: personality is predominantly genetically inherited

2318. QUESTION: The Draw-a-Person Test is a/an

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A. diagnostic test for individual children
B. intelligence test for nonverbal children
C. expressive, projective test
D. intelligence test for pre-linguistic children

CORRECT ANSWER IS: expressive, projective test

2319. QUESTION: According to psychoanalytic thinking, the personality structure consists of

A. habits
B. self
C. drives
D. id, ego and superego

CORRECT ANSWER IS: id, ego and superego

2320. QUESTION: In Freudian theory, which one of the following is reality oriented?

A. id
B. ego
C. superego
D. repression

CORRECT ANSWER IS: ego

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2321. QUESTION: Which of the following concepts are most closely related?

A. id - gamma types
B. archetypes - superego
C. collective unconscious - archetypes
D. prototypes - collective unconscious

CORRECT ANSWER IS: collective unconscious - archetypes

2322. QUESTION: The "persona" is the mask of conscious intentions behind which an individual hides. This personality construct was proposed by

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A. A. Bandura
B. C. Jung
C. G. Allport
D. C. Rogers

CORRECT ANSWER IS: C. Jung

2323. QUESTION: According to Freud, the Oedipus complex in boys and the Electra complex in girls are resolved through

A. moving into the latency stage
B. identification with the opposite-sex parent
C. identification with the same-sex parent
D. the emergence of death instinct

CORRECT ANSWER IS: identification with the same-sex parent

2324. QUESTION: According to Freud, there is one defense mechanism that leads to socially adaptive behavior. Which of the following is it?

A. displacement
B. rationalization
C. sublimation
D. projection

CORRECT ANSWER IS: sublimation

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2325. QUESTION: Which one of the following people had a son or daughter who became a famous psychologist?

A. B. F. Skinner
B. John Watson
C. Ivan Pavlov
D. Sigmund Freud

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Sigmund Freud

2326. QUESTION: According to Erich Fromm, a truly healthy person manifests a/an

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A. receptive orientation
B. exploitative orientation
C. productive orientation
D. marketing orientation

CORRECT ANSWER IS: productive orientation

2327. QUESTION: According to William Sheldon's system of somatotypes, which of the following body types would correspond to an inhibited, intellectual personality?

A. somatomorph
B. mesomorph
C. endomorph
D. ectomorph

CORRECT ANSWER IS: ectomorph

2328. QUESTION: Self-efficacy is a key concept in which theory of personality?

A. personal construct
B. social learning
C. humanistic
D. behaviorist

CORRECT ANSWER IS: social learning

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2329. QUESTION: Which of the following is not a projective test?

A. TAT
B. DAP
C. Rorschach
D. WAIS

CORRECT ANSWER IS: WAIS

2330. QUESTION: The research method used by Freud was

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A. correctional method
B. naturalistic observation
C. survey research
D. case study method

CORRECT ANSWER IS: case study method

2331. QUESTION: Defense mechanism are defensive in that they

A. defend against external stressors
B. guard against conflicts between the id and superego
C. protect the ego from the instincts
D. protect individuals from anxiety that they might not be able to tolerate

CORRECT ANSWER IS: protect individuals from anxiety that they might not be able to tolerate

2332. QUESTION: Which of the following tests allows unconscious motivation, particularly the need for achievement, to be expressed?

A. Minnesota Multiphasic Personality Inventory (MMPI)
B. Goodenough Draw-a-Person Test
C. Thematic Appreciation Test
D. California Personality Inventory

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Thematic Appreciation Test

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2333. QUESTION: Freud pointed out that an important influence upon behavior is

A. unconscious dissonance
B. level of aspiration
C. cognitive dissonance
D. unconscious motivation

CORRECT ANSWER IS: unconscious motivation

2334. QUESTION: The reason why Freud's theories are not called Freud's laws is because

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A. not enough people believe in them
B. they have not been proven
C. they have been totally discredited
D. a theory must stand for a century before it is considered as a law

CORRECT ANSWER IS: they have not been proven

2335. QUESTION: Freud understood aggression in terms of

A. repression
B. Thanatos
C. Eros
D. projection

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Thanatos

2336. QUESTION: From the Freudian perspective, making fun of someone at a social function just to be humorous and make others laugh is

A. an attempt to just be humorous
B. indicative of a sexual desire for the person
C. camouflaged aggression
D. a mask for an inferiority complex

CORRECT ANSWER IS: camouflaged aggression

2337. QUESTION: If an individual is facing the psychosocial crisis of identity versus role confusion according to Erik Erikson's model, that individual is most likely

A. a preadolescent
B. an adolescent
C. a young adult
D. a middle-aged adult

CORRECT ANSWER IS: an adolescent

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2338. QUESTION: The "hero" in the Thematic Appreciation Test is

A. the subject taking the test
B. the subject's idealized self
C. the subject's identified self
D. the figure in the picture around whom the subject thinks the action revolves

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the figure in the picture around whom the subject thinks the action revolves

2339. QUESTION: Which of the following is associated with Jung's analytical therapy?

A. Dream analysis
B. transference
C. focus on libido
D. hypnosis

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Dream analysis

2340. QUESTION: An unathletic man becomes a career sportswriter. This situation is an example of what defense mechanism?

A. sublimation
B. identification
C. compensation
D. displacement

CORRECT ANSWER IS: compensation

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2341. QUESTION: The psychologist who is considered one of the pioneers in the humanistic approach claimed that a person's personality developed in order to allow them to satisfy a hierarchy of needs. This hierarchy was frequently depicted as a pyramid with physical needs of the bottom and self-actualization at the top. The psychologist was

A. Sigmund Freud
B. Neal Miller
C. Carl Rogers
D. Abraham Maslow

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Abraham Maslow

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2342. QUESTION: Maslow and _____ both emphasized the concept of self-actualization

A. Kelly
B. James
C. Rogers
D. Sullivan

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Rogers

2343. QUESTION: Intellectualization is a defense mechanism that is also known as

A. reaction formation
B. rationalization
C. compensation
D. projection

CORRECT ANSWER IS: rationalization

2344. QUESTION: Stability and introversion are two major dimensions of personality hypothesized by

A. Abraham Maslow
B. Hans Eysenck
C. Erik Erikson
D. Sigmund Freud

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Hans Eysenck

2345. QUESTION: Among the findings on Rotter's Locus of Control Scale is the fact that

A. individuals with low achievement motivation are more internal in their depositions
B. individuals with high achievement motivation are more internal in their depositions
C. females are less external than males
D. locus of control is an innate characteristic

CORRECT ANSWER IS: individuals with high achievement motivation are more internal in their depositions

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2346. QUESTION: Which of the following figures pioneered the concept of the inferiority complex?

A. Harry Stack Sullivan
B. Carl Rogers
C. Abraham Maslow
D. Alfred Adler

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Alfred Adler

2347. QUESTION: The "Kent-Rosenoff" Test is a/an

A. projective test
B. factor analysis test
C. word association test
D. intelligence test

CORRECT ANSWER IS: word association test

2348. QUESTION: According to _____, the Oedipus complex occurs between the _____ and _____ stages

A. Freud, Oran, genital
B. Freud, phallic, latency
C. Freud, anal, genital
D. Jung, preconscious, post-conscious

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Freud, phallic, latency

2349. QUESTION: Freud would probably criticize behavioral therapies on which of the following grounds?

A. they are not client-centered
B. they overemphasize ego control
C. they treat symptoms but not underlying causes
D. they take too long to help the patient

CORRECT ANSWER IS: they treat symptoms but not underlying causes

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2350. QUESTION: Responses on the Rorschach Inkblot Test are evaluated in terms of

A. location
B. determinants
C. content
D. all of the above

CORRECT ANSWER IS: all of the above

2351. QUESTION: Which of the following psychologists is a proponent of the phenomenological model of psychopathology?

A. Dollard
B. Maslow
C. Bandura
D. Szasz

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Maslow

2352. QUESTION: The phenomenological view of personality asserts that type theory neglects the

A. superego
B. self
C. supernatural
D. proprium

CORRECT ANSWER IS: self

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2353. QUESTION: The theoretical constructs of phenotypic and genotypic basis of personality were developed by

A. Rogers
B. Jung
C. Eysenck
D. Pearls

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Eysenck

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2354. QUESTION: According to Freudian, dream terminology, condensation refers to

A. repressed urges
B. the blazrre, irrational quality of dreams
C. the process whereby unacceptable thought or impulses are combined into a single dream image
D. the process whereby one thing may stand for another in dream interpretation

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the process whereby unacceptable thought or impulses are combined into a single dream image

2355. QUESTION: The term most closely associated with the name Eysenck is

A. autonomic reactivity
B. parapraxes
C. reintegration
D. shadow

CORRECT ANSWER IS: autonomic reactivity

2356. QUESTION: The first stage of ego development is considered to be

A. id, ego, superego conflicts
B. ego boundary setting
C. autonomous ego function
D. primary identification with the mother

CORRECT ANSWER IS: primary identification with the mother

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2357. QUESTION: The fundamental attribution error states that we credit success to _____ causes, and failure to _____ causes

A. social, emotional
B. emotional, social
C. external, internal
D. internal, external

CORRECT ANSWER IS: internal, external

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2358. QUESTION: Cardinal, central and secondary triats of personality are most closely connected with

A. Rogers
B. Fromm
C. Allport
D. Jung

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Allport

2359. QUESTION: The Yerkes-Dodson Law is most closely related to which theory?

A. Freud's psychosexual stages
B. Roger's self actualization stages
C. Eysenck's phenotypic/genotypic personality
D. Jung's introversion and extroversion types

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Eysenck's phenotypic/genotypic personality

2360. QUESTION: A gambler lost 1000 rupees at a racetrack but he was not upset. He said, "I would have spent the money on any other thing anyway." Which defense mechanism does his statement involve?

A. reaction formation
B. undoing
C. denial
D. rationalization

CORRECT ANSWER IS: rationalization

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2361. QUESTION: Two major dimensions of personality hypothesized by Hans Eysenck are

A. stability and introversion
B. masculinity and femininity
C. stability and masculinity
D. extraversion and repression

CORRECT ANSWER IS: stability and introversion

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2362. QUESTION: Which personality theorist placed emphasis on the importance of a person's cognitive interpretation of the world, called personal constructs?

A. Albert Bandura
B. Carl Rogers
C. George Kelly
D. Abraham Maslow

CORRECT ANSWER IS: George Kelly

2363. QUESTION: According to Sheldon's somatotype theory a person who is strong, muscular, active and aggressive is probably

A. endomorphic
B. ectomorphic
C. mesomorphic
D. daomorphic

CORRECT ANSWER IS: mesomorphic

2364. QUESTION: The concept of family constellation is most evident in the works of which one of the following?

A. Jung
B. Freud
C. Rogers
D. Adler

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Adler

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2365. QUESTION: One valid criticism of using the MMPI as a screening tool for measuring the personality of job applicants is that it

A. was designed to detect psychopathology only
B. consists of only three personality scales
C. does not assess social introversion
D. cannot detect lying

CORRECT ANSWER IS: was designed to detect psychopathology only

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2366. QUESTION: According to Adler's theory of personality, the Oedipus Complex involves

A. strivings to escape the father
B. mainly a sexual phenomenon
C. striving to become superior to the father
D. striving to become superior to the mother

CORRECT ANSWER IS: striving to become superior to the father

2367. QUESTION: Repression refers to

A. primary defense mechanism
B. regression
C. frustration
D. none of these

CORRECT ANSWER IS: primary defense mechanism

2368. QUESTION: According to Alfred Adler the prime motivating force in a person's life is

A. physical gratification
B. existential anxiety
C. striving for superiority
D. the need for power

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the need for power

2369. QUESTION: Psychodynamic determination refers to

A. id impulses that will forever remain unfulfilled
B. behavior that is preconscious in origin
C. the delimiting characteristics of the superego
D. behavior that is ruled by forces over which we have no control

CORRECT ANSWER IS: behavior that is ruled by forces over which we have no control

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2370. QUESTION: According to Freud, boys are most likely to experience the Oedipus complex during the _____ stage

A. anal
B. phallic
C. oral
D. latency

CORRECT ANSWER IS: phallic

2371. QUESTION: Mr. Eesa was asked by his psychotherapist to look at some ambiguous pictures and make up a story about each. Mr. Eesa was most likely taking the

A. TAT
B. MMPT
C. Rorschach test
D. Personal Orientation Inventory

CORRECT ANSWER IS: TAT

2372. QUESTION: In order to assess a client's personal growth, Carl Rogers measure the correspondence between _____ and _____

A. locus of control; self-actualization
B. ideal self; actual self
C. self-esteem; locus of control
D. the client's values; the therapist's values

CORRECT ANSWER IS: ideal self; actual self

2373. QUESTION: Freud theorized that the ego is an outgrowth of the _____ and operates according to the _____ principle

A. id; pleasure
B. id; reality
C. superego; pleasure
D. superego; reality

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: id; reality

2374. QUESTION: The part of personality that provides a buffer between the inside and the outside world is

A. superego
B. ego
C. ego-ideal
D. none of these

CORRECT ANSWER IS: ego

2375. QUESTION: Consciousness is

A. our ability to solve problems, reason and remember
B. our awareness of ourselves and our environment
C. the process of organizing and interpreting sensory information
D. effortless encoding of incidental information into memory

CORRECT ANSWER IS: our awareness of ourselves and our environment

2376. QUESTION: An individual who unconsciously is homosexual consciously feels that others are homosexual. This pattern reflects the defense mechanism of

A. displacement
B. projection
C. repression
D. reaction formation

CORRECT ANSWER IS: projection

2377. QUESTION: Which of the following approaches to personality is least deterministic?

A. the humanistic approach
B. the psychoanalytic approach
C. Skinner's approach
D. the behavioral approach

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: the humanistic approach

2378. QUESTION: Freud suggested that the superego develops through the process of

A. self-actualization
B. fixation
C. sublimation
D. identification

CORRECT ANSWER IS: identification

2379. QUESTION: Freud is to the psychoanalytic perspective as Allport is to the _____ perspective

A. behavioral
B. humanistic
C. social-cognitive
D. trait

CORRECT ANSWER IS: trait

2380. QUESTION: Who is the best example of a type-A personality?

A. Ali, a competitive, hard-driving corporation president
B. Saad, a relaxed, easy-going mailman
C. Sabeeha, a self-confident, intelligent journalist
D. Irshad, an introverted, inhibited mental patient

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Ali, a competitive, hard-driving corporation president

2381. QUESTION: An individual who perceives an internal locus of control would most likely show signs of a

A. weak id
B. strong id
C. weak ego
D. strong ego

CORRECT ANSWER IS: strong ego

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2382. QUESTION: In essence the defense mechanisms are

A. defenses against anxiety
B. ways of convincing others of one's rightness
C. escape reactions
D. conscious self-deceptions

CORRECT ANSWER IS: defenses against anxiety

2383. QUESTION: An excessive fixation is most likely to contribute to

A. reaction formation
B. projection
C. regression
D. sublimation

CORRECT ANSWER IS: regression

2384. QUESTION: Apposing the gratification of drives when their gratification would violate morality is the job of the

A. id
B. ego
C. superego
D. both the ego and superego

CORRECT ANSWER IS: superego

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2385. QUESTION: Which of the following did Carl Rogers believe fosters a congruent self-concept?

A. conditional love
B. appropriate role models
C. unconditional love
D. immediate need gratification

CORRECT ANSWER IS: unconditional love

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2386. QUESTION: Characteristic patterns of behavior and conscious motives are called

A. aptitudes
B. fixations
C. projections
D. traits

CORRECT ANSWER IS: traits

2387. QUESTION: Who is the best example of a type-B personality?

A. Irfan, a self-confident, time-conscious mail carrier
B. Khalid, a relax, easy-going dentist
C. Saeed, an irritable, impatient college professor
D. Rahim, a fun-loving, hard-driving corporation president

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Khalid, a relax, easy-going dentist

2388. QUESTION: Which of the following types of personality theories are generally based on psychometric research?

A. humanistic theories
B. trait theories
C. social cognitive theories
D. psychodynamic theories

CORRECT ANSWER IS: trait theories

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2389. QUESTION: In Freud's theory of personality

A. the ego obeys the reality principle
B. the id operated by secondary process thinking
C. the superego obeys the pleasure principle
D. the ego operates by primary process thinking

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the ego obeys the reality principle

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2390. QUESTION: Four year old Iffah has not wet her bed for over a year. However, she starts bed wetting again soon after her brother is born. Iffah's behavior is most likely an example of

A. reaction formation
B. regression
C. projection
D. sublimation

CORRECT ANSWER IS: regression

2391. QUESTION: In Freud's model of the mind

A. the id and the ego are unconscious, whereas the superego is conscious
B. the id is unconscious, whereas the ego and superego are conscious
C. the id and the ego are each partly unconscious and partly conscious
D. the id is unconscious whereas the ego and superego are each partly conscious and partly unconscious

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the id is unconscious whereas the ego and superego are each partly conscious and partly unconscious

2392. QUESTION: Enduring dimensions of personality characteristics differentiating people from another is called

A. trait
B. factor analysis
C. determinism
D. none of these

CORRECT ANSWER IS: trait

2393. QUESTION: Factor analysis has been used to identify the most basic

A. personality traits
B. defense mechanism
C. self-serving biases
D. psychosexual stages

CORRECT ANSWER IS: personality traits

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2394. QUESTION: Type A is to ____ as type B is to ____

A. realistic; idealistic
B. introverted; extraverted
C. bright; dull
D. hard-driving; easygoing

CORRECT ANSWER IS: hard-driving; easygoing

2395. QUESTION: Freud's theory of psychoanalysis is referred to as a psychodynamic theory because

A. of the way in which data are collected
B. it is also a type of psychotherapy
C. of its emphasis on mental forces
D. of the importance it gives to early childhood experiences

CORRECT ANSWER IS: of its emphasis on mental forces

2396. QUESTION: Personality inventories are

A. subjectively scored
B. objectively scored
C. always scored on a prior basis
D. always scored on an empirical basis

CORRECT ANSWER IS: objectively scored

2397. QUESTION: Which defense mechanism involves the conscious expression of feelings that are the opposite of unconscious feelings?

A. repression
B. projection
C. sublimation
D. reaction formation

CORRECT ANSWER IS: reaction formation

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2398. QUESTION: In Freudian theory, the fear a person would feel at the sight of a gun pointed at him or her would be classified as

A. realistic anxiety
B. neurotic anxiety
C. a defense mechanism
D. reaction formation

CORRECT ANSWER IS: realistic anxiety

2399. QUESTION: A psychotherapist instructs Zahid to relax, close his eyes, and state aloud whatever thoughts come to mind no matter how trivial or absurD. The therapist is using a technique known as

A. sublimation
B. free association
C. reaction formation
D. projection

CORRECT ANSWER IS: free association

2400. QUESTION: Dependence, passivity and greediness are regarded as traits found in the so-called

A. anal character
B. oral character
C. phallic stage
D. genital stage

CORRECT ANSWER IS: oral character

2401. QUESTION: Rubina is quiet, pessimistic, anxious and moody. In terms of the Eysenck's basic personality dimensions would be classified as

A. unstable-introverted
B. internal-impulsive
C. manic-depressive
D. external-dependent

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: unstable-introverted

2402. QUESTION: The most basic idea in Freud's theory is that of

A. defense mechanisms
B. the oedipal crisis
C. unconscious motivation
D. the ego

CORRECT ANSWER IS: unconscious motivation

2403. QUESTION: The concept of "introversion and extroversion" was advanced by

A. Springer
B. Festinger
C. Jung
D. Adler

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Jung

2404. QUESTION: The ego's fear of the irrational wishes of the id is called

A. latent anxiety
B. neurotic anxiety
C. moral anxiety
D. reality anxiety

CORRECT ANSWER IS: neurotic anxiety

2405. QUESTION: Parents who disguise hostility toward their children by becoming overly protective of them are vert likely using the defense mechanism of

A. projection
B. repression
C. rationalization
D. reaction formation

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: reaction formation

2406. QUESTION: The Big-Five were identified by means of

A. factor analysis
B. projective tests
C. free association
D. clinical intuition

CORRECT ANSWER IS: factor analysis

2407. QUESTION: Endomorphy is to ectomorphy as

A. social inhibition is to love of comfort
B. love of comfort is to social inhibition
C. love of comfort is to need for action
D. need for action is to social inhibition

CORRECT ANSWER IS: love of comfort is to social inhibition

2408. QUESTION: According to Freud, the most powerful sources of unconscious motivation are

A. the sex drive and aggression
B. fear and insecurity
C. hunger and the sex drive
D. anxiety and guilt

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the sex drive and aggression

2409. QUESTION: Forgotten memories that we can easily recall were said by Freud to be

A. sublimated
B. preconscious
C. projected
D. unconscious

CORRECT ANSWER IS: preconscious

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2410. QUESTION: What type of need does Maslow's hierarchy of needs add to those already emphasized by psychodynamic theorists?

A. esteem needs
B. needs for sex and aggression
C. self-actualization
D. need for safety

CORRECT ANSWER IS: self-actualization

2411. QUESTION: Projection refers to the process by which people

A. consciously express feelings that are the opposite of underlying unconscious impulses
B. disguise unacceptable, unconscious impulses by attributing them to others
C. retreat to behavior patterns characteristics of an earlier stage of development
D. rechanneled unacceptable impulses into socially approved activities

CORRECT ANSWER IS: disguise unacceptable, unconscious impulses by attributing them to others

2412. QUESTION: Many of the neo-Freudians have modified Freud's original theory of personality to give more emphasis to

A. childhood sexuality
B. social and cultural factors
C. difference between the sexes
D. unconscious forces

CORRECT ANSWER IS: social and cultural factors

2413. QUESTION: An individual who goes through life bent on acquiring knowledge, love or money is showing behavior that would be characteristic of a/an _____ fixation

A. oral
B. anal
C. phallic
D. genital

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: oral

2414. QUESTION: Freud's term for the process by which the ego keeps anxiety-provoking wishes or memories out of the conscious mind is

A. sublimation
B. repression
C. displacement
D. reaction formation

CORRECT ANSWER IS: repression

2415. QUESTION: The difficulty with type theories of personality is that they are

A. too simple
B. too contradictory
C. too arbitrary
D. all are correct

CORRECT ANSWER IS: too simple

2416. QUESTION: According to Freud, the unconscious is

A. the part of human personality that lacks a sense of right and wrong
B. a set of universal concepts acquired by all humans from our common past
C. a collection of thoughts, wishes, feelings and memories of which we are largely unaware
D. the reservoir of deeply repressed memories that does not affect behavior

CORRECT ANSWER IS: a collection of thoughts, wishes, feelings and memories of which we are largely unaware

2417. QUESTION: Freud posited and instinctive force that powers the sex drive but can be redirected into behaviors that are not overtly sexual. His name for this forces was

A. ego
B. anxiety
C. libido

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D. id

CORRECT ANSWER IS: libido

2418. QUESTION: Which of the following identified universal symbolic images that appear in myths, art, dreams and other expressions of the collective unconscious?

A. Freud
B. Adler
C. Jung
D. Horney

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Jung

2419. QUESTION: Self-deceptions used by the ego to reduce anxiety are called

A. primary-process thoughts
B. secondary-process thoughts
C. defense mechanisms
D. rationalization

CORRECT ANSWER IS: defense mechanisms

2420. QUESTION: Ali mistakenly believes that his classmates at school are unusually hostile. In fact, Ali is the most quarrelsome and aggressive child in the school. According to psychoanalytic theory, Ali's belief that his classmates are hostile is a

A. projection
B. regression
C. sublimation
D. reaction formation

CORRECT ANSWER IS: projection

2421. QUESTION: Which of the following Big Five trait dimensions is most closely related to one's level of creativity?

A. extraversion

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B. openness
C. emotional stability
D. agreeableness

CORRECT ANSWER IS: openness

2422. QUESTION: Central traits

A. were suggested by a behaviorist to explain behavior
B. organize and control behavior across many situations
C. are more situations specific than are secondary traits
D. are seen in growth-oriented individuals

CORRECT ANSWER IS: organize and control behavior across many situations

2423. QUESTION: Freud believed that _____ are the "royal rod to the unconscious"

A. projective tests
B. dreams
C. sublimations
D. hypnotic trances

CORRECT ANSWER IS: dreams

2424. QUESTION: In Freud's view, a great deal of human behavior really consists of disguised forms of

A. sex and aggression
B. fear and insecurity
C. anger and guilt
D. hunger and thirst

CORRECT ANSWER IS: sex and aggression

2425. QUESTION: Perfection is a problem that is most associated with the

A. id
B. ego

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C. superego
D. ego and super ego

CORRECT ANSWER IS: superego

2426. QUESTION: The defense mechanism that provides the basis for mother others is

A. displacement
B. reaction formation
C. repression
D. projection

CORRECT ANSWER IS: repression

2427. QUESTION: The defense mechanism in which self-justifying explanations replace the real, unconscious reasons for actions is

A. projection
B. reaction formation
C. sublimation
D. rationalization

CORRECT ANSWER IS: rationalization

2428. QUESTION: Tahir thinks his father is rigid and stingy, and it makes him angry that his father is always telling him to clean up his room, pick up his belongings, or tuck in his shirt. After learning a little about Freudian psychology, Tahir has decided that his father

A. has not resolved his oedipal crisis
B. is anally fixated
C. is orally fixated
D. is deficient in self-esteem

CORRECT ANSWER IS: is anally fixated

2429. QUESTION: Raymond B. Cattle advanced the study of personality traits by using a statistical method called

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A. locus of control
B. identification
C. factor analysis
D. phrenology

CORRECT ANSWER IS: factor analysis

2430. QUESTION: Which of the following tests was empirically derived?

A. TAT
B. MMPI-2
C. Rorschach test
D. HTP

CORRECT ANSWER IS: MMPI-2

2431. QUESTION: According to psychoanalytic theory, the part of the personality that strives for immediate gratification of basic drives is the

A. id
B. ego
C. superego
D. collective unconscious

CORRECT ANSWER IS: id

2432. QUESTION: Shahnaz is unconsciously fearful that her husband is a better cook then she. Recently, she refused his offer to prepare dinner, because, she said, "You could better spend the time playing with our kids." Shahnaz's comment is an example of

A. projection
B. rationalization
C. displacement
D. reaction formation

CORRECT ANSWER IS: rationalization

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2433. QUESTION: Which of the following tests is likely to have the highest reliability?

A. TAT
B. MMPI
C. Rorschach
D. none of these

CORRECT ANSWER IS: MMPI

2434. QUESTION: If you let your thoughts flow freely, without concern for conventional logic, and record every image and idea that enters your awareness, you would be engaging in something similar to the technique Freud called

A. psychoanalysis
B. secondary process
C. projection
D. free association

CORRECT ANSWER IS: free association

2435. QUESTION: In Freudian theory, displacements directed toward activities particularly valued by society, such as artistic, scientific or humanitarian endeavors are called

A. reaction formations
B. sublimations
C. projections
D. rationalizations

CORRECT ANSWER IS: sublimations

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2436. QUESTION: Freud hypothesized that body go through an oedipal crisis during the _____ stage of psychosexual development

A. genital
B. oral
C. anal
D. phallic

CORRECT ANSWER IS: phallic

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2437. QUESTION: In Maslow's theory of personality the main concept is that of

A. functional autonomy
B. acquired drives
C. self-actualization
D. interpersonal relations

CORRECT ANSWER IS: self-actualization

2438. QUESTION: Dr. Badar wants to assess the extent to which a client is suffering from depression, delusions and other symptoms of psychological disorder. Which personality inventory would be most helpful for this purpose?

A. MMPI-2
B. Rorschach
C. TAT
D. Myers-Briggs Type Indicator

CORRECT ANSWER IS: MMPI-2

2439. QUESTION: Ego is to id as _____ is to _____

A. personality; collective unconscious
B. reality principle; pleasure principle
C. morality; biology
D. life instinct; death instinct

CORRECT ANSWER IS: reality principle; pleasure principle

2440. QUESTION: While professor Shahid was going through a painful divorce, he tended to create unnecessarily difficult tests and gave his students unusually low grades. A psychoanalyst would be most likely to view the professor's treatment of

A. reaction formation
B. rationalization
C. displacement
D. projection

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: displacement

2441. QUESTION: One hallmark of projective tests is that they

A. are multiphase
B. are criterion referenced
C. require responses to ambiguous stimuli
D. measure only one trait

CORRECT ANSWER IS: require responses to ambiguous stimuli

2442. QUESTION: To learn about the unconscious mind, Freud drew inferences from his patients' free association, dreams, and various "mistakes" because they are

A. strongly influences by conscious thought
B. illogical and therefore revealing of unconscious material
C. controlled by ego
D. free of influence from the libido

CORRECT ANSWER IS: illogical and therefore revealing of unconscious material

2443. QUESTION: Kiran unconsciously hates her sister, but keenly follows her sister's successful career and provides devoted support for her whenever she seems to need it. Kiran is apparently employing the mechanism known as

A. displacement
B. projection
C. reaction formation
D. repression

CORRECT ANSWER IS: reaction formation

2444. QUESTION: Freud suggested that Leonardo da Vinci's paintings of Madonna's could be traced back to his desire to intimacy with his own mother. According to Freud, da Vinci's artistry provides an example of

A. displacement
B. projection

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C. sublimation
D. regression

CORRECT ANSWER IS: sublimation

2445. QUESTION: According to Erikson's theory, the struggle during adolescence is

A. intimacy vs. isolation
B. initiative vs. guilt
C. identity vs. confusion
D. competence vs. inferiority

CORRECT ANSWER IS: identity vs. confusion

2446. QUESTION: The humanistic perspective emphasizes the importance of

A. free association
B. self-determination
C. reciprocal determinism
D. personality inventories

CORRECT ANSWER IS: self-determination

2447. QUESTION: According to Freud, the personality system that represents our sense of right and wrong and our ideal standards is the

A. collective unconscious
B. ego
C. superego
D. id

CORRECT ANSWER IS: superego

2448. QUESTION: Freud believed that the oedipal crisis is resolved through the boy's

A. identification with other males his own age
B. rejection of his mother as an object of sexual desire

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C. identification with his father
D. primary process gratification from his mother

CORRECT ANSWER IS: identification with his father

2449. QUESTION: According to Freud, most of the things, we do, think and feel are caused by

A. conditioned response to our surroundings
B. unconscious forces of which we are not aware
C. the beliefs and ideas we have about the world
D. a strong desire to grow and develop

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the beliefs and ideas we have about the world

2450. QUESTION: In interpreting a dream, the analyst's job is

A. to use the overt and manifest content as a clue to the unconscious or latent content
B. to determine whether or not the dream is a true reflection of the unconscious mind
C. both a and b
D. neither a nor b

CORRECT ANSWER IS: to use the overt and manifest content as a clue to the unconscious or latent content

2451. QUESTION: The student who shouts at his roommate when he is actually with his girlfriend is using the defense mechanism called

A. displacement
B. projection
C. reaction formation
D. repression

CORRECT ANSWER IS: displacement

2452. QUESTION: Carl Jung emphasized the importance of _____ in personality functioning

A. social interest
B. inferiority feelings

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C. psychosexual stages
D. the collective unconscious

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the collective unconscious

2453. QUESTION: Disagreeing with Freud, Erikson emphasized more on

A. conflict
B. racial memory
C. adulthood
D. early habits

CORRECT ANSWER IS: adulthood

2454. QUESTION: Self-actualized people, as described by Maslow, are most likely to

A. have a strong ego
B. be self-centered
C. experience an external locus of control
D. lack of strong sense of gender identity

CORRECT ANSWER IS: have a strong ego

2455. QUESTION: No matter how long and hard Samreen studies, she always feels she hasn't studied as much as she could have. A Freudian psychologist would suggest that Samreen shows signs of a

A. weak ego
B. weak superego
C. strong ego
D. strong superego

CORRECT ANSWER IS: strong superego

2456. QUESTION: One of the factors Alfred Adler believed to be important in shaping personality is

A. difficulty in toilet training
B. birth order within the family

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C. the collective unconscious
D. unconditioned positive regard

CORRECT ANSWER IS: birth order within the family

2457. QUESTION: Which of the following types of clues did Freud use to learn about the contents of a patient's unconscious mind?

A. dreams
B. slips of the tongue
C. free association
D. all of the above

CORRECT ANSWER IS: all of the above

2458. QUESTION: Primary process is to reality principle as

A. ego is to id
B. id is to ego
C. superego is to id
D. primitive is to infantile

CORRECT ANSWER IS: id is to ego

2459. QUESTION: Competitive sports may provide an opportunity for individuals to _____ their feelings of aggression

A. sublimate
B. deny
C. rationalize
D. project

CORRECT ANSWER IS: sublimate

2460. QUESTION: Projective tests are most closely associated with the _____ perspective

A. social-cognitive
B. psychoanalytic

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C. humanistic
D. trait

CORRECT ANSWER IS: psychoanalytic

2461. QUESTION: According to Alfred Adler, helplessness of the infant accounts for

A. feeling for inferiority
B. a need to strive for superiority
C. compensatory strivings
D. all of these

CORRECT ANSWER IS: feeling for inferiority

2462. QUESTION: Two-year-old Ali derives immense pleasure from going to the "adult's bathroom" on his own. Freud would have suggested that Ali is going through the _____ stage of development

A. phallic
B. anal
C. genital
D. latency

CORRECT ANSWER IS: anal

2463. QUESTION: Carl Rogers suggested that the _____ is a central feature of personality

A. collective unconscious
B. Oedipus complex
C. self-concept
D. persona

CORRECT ANSWER IS: self-concept

2464. QUESTION: Freud in his study of personality and unconscious focused around

A. dreams
B. psychopathology of everyday life

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C. wit and humor
D. all of them

CORRECT ANSWER IS: all of them

2465. QUESTION: In Freudian theory, the entire set of drives with which a person is born is called the _____ and its only goal is to gratify those drives

A. ego
B. id
C. superego
D. primary process

CORRECT ANSWER IS: id

2466. QUESTION: Autonomous functions of the ego include all of the following except

A. perception
B. repression
C. language
D. intelligence

CORRECT ANSWER IS: language

2467. QUESTION: According to Freud, the healthy adult is someone who

A. finds pleasure in love and work
B. does not need ego defense mechanism
C. is not fixated, to any extent, at any stage of development
D. has finally conquered the id

CORRECT ANSWER IS: finds pleasure in love and work

2468. QUESTION: Trait theorists generally believe that a given personality trait

A. remains consistent as the person moves from one environment to another
B. is developed through early childhood training

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C. is a fairly temporary characteristic of an individual
D. is either present or absent from an individual's personality

CORRECT ANSWER IS: remains consistent as the person moves from one environment to another

2469. QUESTION: Which of the following is the correct order of psychosexual stages proposed by Freud?

A. oral; anal; phallic; latency; genital
B. anal; oral; phallic; latency; genital
C. oral; anal; genital; phallic; latency
D. anal; phallic; oral; latency; genital

CORRECT ANSWER IS: oral; anal; phallic; latency; genital

2470. QUESTION: The big five personality factors are

A. emotional stability, openness, introversion, stability, locus of control
B. neuroticism, extraversion, openness, emotional stability, sensitivity
C. neuroticism, gregariousness, extraversion, impulsiveness, conscientiousness
D. emotional stability, extraversion, openness, agreeableness, conscientiousness

CORRECT ANSWER IS: emotional stability, extraversion, openness, agreeableness, conscientiousness

2471. QUESTION: Freud proposed that defense mechanism develop unconsciously to help us cop with

A. depression
B. thoughts of suicide
C. biological
D. anxiety

CORRECT ANSWER IS: anxiety

2472. QUESTION: Watson and his followers emphasized the role of _____ in the determination of one's behavior

A. personality
B. environment
C. heredity

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D. motivation

CORRECT ANSWER IS: environment

2473. QUESTION: Karen Horney's theory of personality focused on the need for

A. sexual gratification
B. intellectual stimulation
C. conformity
D. security

CORRECT ANSWER IS: security

2474. QUESTION: The TAT was originally designed to measure

A. depression
B. personality disorders
C. personality traits
D. achievement motivation

CORRECT ANSWER IS: achievement motivation

2475. QUESTION: Neo-Freudians such as Adler and Horney believed that

A. Freud placed too great an emphasis on the conscious mind
B. Freud placed too great an emphasis on sexual and aggressive instincts
C. the years of childhood were more important in the formation of personality that Freud has indicated
D. Freud's ideas about the id, ego and superego as personality structures were incorrect

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Freud placed too great an emphasis on sexual and aggressive instincts

2476. QUESTION: Cattell's sixteen-dimensional trait theory was based on

A. in-depth interviews with psychologically healthy subjects
B. ratings of the individuals he was studying made by people who knew them well
C. questionnaire data from the individuals he was studying
D. both b and c

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: in-depth interviews with psychologically healthy subjects

2477. QUESTION: According to Freud, _____ is the process by which children incorporate their parents' values into their _____

A. reaction formation; egos
B. reaction formation; superegos
C. identification; superegos
D. identification; egos

CORRECT ANSWER IS: identification; superegos

2478. QUESTION: Directing one's motives at some subtitles person or object rather than expressing it directly is a defense mechanism referred to as

A. repression
B. projection
C. displacement
D. fantasy

CORRECT ANSWER IS: displacement

2479. QUESTION: Which post-Freudian psychodynamic theorist proposed that different ego-social needs predominant at different stages of development?

A. Erik Erikson
B. Karen Hon
C. Carl Jung
D. Alfred Adler

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Erik Erikson

2480. QUESTION: Which of the following personality theories was criticized for relying too heavily on the notion of biological drives and concepts that are un-testable?

A. psychoanalytic approach

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B. trait theory
C. behaviorist approach
D. humanism

CORRECT ANSWER IS: psychoanalytic approach

2481. QUESTION: Which two dimensions of personality have the Eysenck emphasized?

A. extraversion-introversion and emotional stability-instability
B. internal-external locus of control and extraversion-introversion
C. internal-external locus of control and emotional stability-instability
D. melancholic-phlegmatic and choleric-sanguine

CORRECT ANSWER IS: extraversion-introversion and emotional stability-instability

2482. QUESTION: Eysenck found fewer source traits then Cattell. The main reason for his difference was that Eysenck

A. chose to observe fewer behaviors
B. used a different factor-analytic procedures
C. used a bias sample
D. did not vary the questionnaires

CORRECT ANSWER IS: used a different factor-analytic procedures

2483. QUESTION: Aisha got the highest score in her class on her final exam. She attributes her success to lucky guesses and a lot of easy questions. She is demonstrating

A. an internal locus of control
B. an external locus of control
C. a need of acceptance
D. a need for achievement

CORRECT ANSWER IS: an external locus of control

2484. QUESTION: Bilal is muscular and physically strong. Sheldon would classify him as a/an

A. endomorphic type

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B. mesomorphic type
C. ectomorphic type
D. dystrophic type

CORRECT ANSWER IS: mesomorphic type

2485. QUESTION: Post-Freudian psychodynamic theorists tend to place more emphasis than Freud did on the role of _____ in personality development

A. anxiety
B. aggression
C. social needs
D. sexual needs

CORRECT ANSWER IS: social needs

2486. QUESTION: Sammy's parents refuse to believe that he has cancer and continue to tell their friends that he has had surgery to remove a "cyst". They are practicing the defense mechanism of

A. denial
B. displacement
C. fantasy
D. rationalization

CORRECT ANSWER IS: denial

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2487. QUESTION: With regard to personality, it appears that

A. there is little consistency of behavior from one situation to the next and little consistency of traits over the life span
B. there is little consistency of behavior from one situation to the next but significant consistency of traits over the life span
C. there is significant consistency of behavior from one situation to the next and little consistency of traits over the life span
D. there is significant consistency of behavior from one situation to the next and significant consistency of traits over the life span

CORRECT ANSWER IS: there is little consistency of behavior from one situation to the next but significant consistency of traits over the life span

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2488. QUESTION: Which of the following is not a personality dimension identified by Eysenck in his factor-analytic studies?

A. introversion-extroversion
B. stability-instability
C. dominance-submission
D. both a and b

CORRECT ANSWER IS: dominance-submission

2489. QUESTION: A distinction of trait theories is that they focus more on

A. the influence of heredity
B. explaining personality
C. describing personality
D. refuting the influence of environmental factors

CORRECT ANSWER IS: describing personality

2490. QUESTION: A psychoanalyst would characterize a person who is impulsive and self-indulgent as possessing a strong _____ and a weak _____

A. id and ego; superego
B. id; ego and superego
C. ego; superego
D. id; superego

CORRECT ANSWER IS: id; superego

2491. QUESTION: The human struggle between being and nonbeing is an important theme in which theory of psychology?

A. Freudian theory
B. existential theory
C. humanistic theory
D. social psychology theory

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: existential theory

2492. QUESTION: Humanistic psychologists point out that, in order to understand someone's feelings and behavior, we must understand how they interpret objects and events. This aspect of humanistic psychology is called

A. phenomenology
B. reductionism
C. holism
D. self-actualization

CORRECT ANSWER IS: phenomenology

2493. QUESTION: Muzammil is almost three years old, and insist that he must "go to the potty" every time the family gets in the car to go for an outing. Muzammil is likely in the _____ stage of psychosexual development

A. oral
B. anal
C. phallic
D. genital

CORRECT ANSWER IS: anal

2494. QUESTION: According to Maslow, people can be truly creative only when

A. they haven't been able to satisfy a basic need for sex
B. they haven't been able to satisfy a basic need for love
C. their more basic needs are relatively satisfied
D. they have successfully renounced the need for self-esteem

CORRECT ANSWER IS: their more basic needs are relatively satisfied

2495. QUESTION: In longitudinal studies, which of the following traits showed most stability over time?

A. introversion or extroversion
B. stability or neuroticism
C. sensitivity or insensitivity

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D. both a and b

CORRECT ANSWER IS: both a and b

2496. QUESTION: Which of the following is not one of the "Big Five" dimensions of personality in the recently developed "Five Factor Model"?

A. extroversion-introversion
B. agreeableness
C. conscientiousness
D. stability-instability

CORRECT ANSWER IS: stability-instability

2497. QUESTION: Jamila has a biting, sarcastic manner. According to Freud, she is

A. projecting her anxiety onto others
B. fixated in the oral stage of development
C. fixated in the anal stage of development
D. displacing her anxiety onto others

CORRECT ANSWER IS: fixated in the oral stage of development

2498. QUESTION: Which person is correctly linked with his area of interest?

A. Jung - collective unconscious
B. Dollard and Miller - field theory
C. Breuer - fictional finalism
D. Witkin - need for achievement

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Jung - collective unconscious

2499. QUESTION: Abraham psychologists point out that in order to understand someone's feelings and behavior, we must understand how they interpret objects and events. This aspect of humanistic psychology is called

A. phenomenology
B. reductionism

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C. holism
D. self-actualization

CORRECT ANSWER IS: phenomenology

2500. QUESTION: According to Rogers, three conditions are necessary to promote growth in personality. These are

A. honesty, sincerity and empathy
B. high self-esteem, honesty and empathy
C. high self-esteem, genuineness and acceptance
D. genuineness, acceptance and empathy

CORRECT ANSWER IS: genuineness, acceptance and empathy

2501. QUESTION: Freud's notion of penis envy occurred during the _____ stage of psychosexual development

A. oral
B. anal
C. phallic
D. latency

CORRECT ANSWER IS: phallic

2502. QUESTION: Longitudinal research on personality traits generally suggests that

A. extroverts become more introverted later in life
B. neuroticism generally increases over one's lifetime
C. there is considerable variability in most central personality traits over an individual's lifetime
D. there is considerable stability in central personality traits over an individuals' lifetime

CORRECT ANSWER IS: there is considerable stability in central personality traits over an individuals' lifetime

2503. QUESTION: Which of the following would be the least valid reason for personality assessment?

A. theory construction
B. genetic planning
C. clinical diagnosis

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D. predicting other behaviors

CORRECT ANSWER IS: genetic planning

2504. QUESTION: Ali is sober and reverseD. Rashid is fun-loving and affectionate. The Eysenck's would say that Ali _____ and Rashid _____

A. has an internal locus of control; has an external locus of control
B. has an external locus of control; has an internal locus of control
C. is an extrovert; is an introvert
D. is an introvert; is an extrovert

CORRECT ANSWER IS: is an introvert; is an extrovert

2505. QUESTION: Which of the following correctly represents Maslow's hierarchy of needs (from lowest to highest)?

A. safety, love, esteem, actualizing, intersectional
B. actualizing, physiological, safety, belongingness, esteem
C. physiological, safety, belongingness and love, esteem, actualizing
D. safety, physiological, belongingness and love, actualizing, esteem

CORRECT ANSWER IS: physiological, safety, belongingness and love, esteem, actualizing

2506. QUESTION: Jung's archetypes include all of the following except

A. persona
B. shadow
C. animus
D. superego

CORRECT ANSWER IS: superego

2507. QUESTION: Projective tests such as the Rorschach inkblot test have been criticized because

A. their scoring system is too rigid
B. they were standardized with unrepresentative samples
C. they have low reliability and low validity

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D. it is easy for people to fake answers in order to appear healthy

CORRECT ANSWER IS: they have low reliability and low validity

2508. QUESTION: Alfred Adler developed the idea of the

A. inferiority complex
B. defense mechanism
C. collective unconscious
D. phenomenological approach

CORRECT ANSWER IS: inferiority complex

2509. QUESTION: Trait theories have been characterized for their

A. lack of objective observation of behavior
B. tendency to overlook biological determinants of personality
C. complexity of analysis
D. all of the above

CORRECT ANSWER IS: lack of objective observation of behavior

2510. QUESTION: If you meet someone new at a party, what personality assessment techniques are you likely to use to evaluate that person?

A. interview
B. paper and pencil test
C. behavioral observation
D. both b and c

CORRECT ANSWER IS: both b and c

2511. QUESTION: The school psychologist believes that having a positive self-concept is necessary before students can achieve their potential. Evidently, the school psychologist is working within the _____ perspective

A. psychoanalytic
B. trait

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C. humanistic
D. social-cognitive

CORRECT ANSWER IS: humanistic

2512. QUESTION: The notion that personality can be defined as the entire set of one's cognitive constructs is most consistent with _____ theories of personality

A. psychodynamic
B. social learning
C. psychometrically based
D. trait

CORRECT ANSWER IS: social learning

2513. QUESTION: A major criticism of trait theory is that it

A. places too great an emphasis on early childhood experiences
B. overestimates the consistency of behavior in different situations
C. underestimates the importance of heredity in personality development
D. places too great an emphasis on positive traits

CORRECT ANSWER IS: overestimates the consistency of behavior in different situations

2514. QUESTION: Which of the following makes the most prominent use of statistics in its scoring procedures?

A. Rorschach test
B. TAT
C. Blacky test
D. MMPI

CORRECT ANSWER IS: MMPI

2515. QUESTION: Which of the following grouped tends to daydream the most?

A. elderly men
B. middle-aged

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C. middle-aged men
D. young adults

CORRECT ANSWER IS: young adults

2516. QUESTION: The Neo-Freudian who theorized that people have three ways of interacting- moving away, moving toward and moving against other people, was

A. Alfred Adler
B. Carl Jung
C. Karen Horney
D. Anna Freud

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Karen Horney

2517. QUESTION: One of the big debates among personality psychologists has been the extent to which one's personality leads one to behave

A. criminally
B. consistently
C. maturely
D. appropriately

CORRECT ANSWER IS: consistently

2518. QUESTION: Albert Bandura refers to people's beliefs about whether or not they can successfully perform specific tasks as

A. the self-concept
B. self-esteem
C. self-efficacy
D. self-determination

CORRECT ANSWER IS: self-efficacy

2519. QUESTION: According to Freud's theory, personality arises in response to conflicts between

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A. our unacceptable urges and our tendency to become self-actualized
B. the process of identification and the ego's defense mechanisms
C. the collective unconscious and our individual desires
D. our biological impulses and the social restraints against them

CORRECT ANSWER IS: our biological impulses and the social restraints against them

2520. QUESTION: Which of the following is the most commonly used personality inventory?

A. the CPI
B. the 16PF
C. the MMPI
D. the TAT

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the MMPI

2521. QUESTION: "Consciousness" is defined as

A. mental life
B. information processing
C. selective attention to ongoing perceptions, thoughts and feelings
D. our awareness of ourselves and our environment

CORRECT ANSWER IS: our awareness of ourselves and our environment

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2522. QUESTION: Which of the following makes an accurate distinction between the Strong-Campbell Vocational Interest Blank and the Kuder Preference Record?

A. success vs failure
B. differences in administration
C. occupation emphasis vs broad-area emphasis
D. male-female distinction vs unified format

CORRECT ANSWER IS: occupation emphasis vs broad-area emphasis

2523. QUESTION: Alfred Adler, Carl Jung and Karen Horney all have in common the fact that they

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A. had their beginnings in the psychoanalytic theory
B. offered alternate ideas to psychoanalytic theory
C. were neo-Freudians
D. all of the above

CORRECT ANSWER IS: all of the above

2524. QUESTION: A person who feels very competent, but who believes that competence is not rewarded, could be said to have an ____ locus of control and _____ self-efficiency

A. internal; high
B. internal; low
C. external; high
D. external; low

CORRECT ANSWER IS: external; high

2525. QUESTION: Seligman has found that humans and animals that are exposed to aversive events they cannot escape may develop

A. an internal locus of control
B. a reaction formation
C. learned helplessness
D. neurotic anxiety

CORRECT ANSWER IS: learned helplessness

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2526. QUESTION: The test defines personality as

A. the set of personal attitudes that characterizes a person
B. an individual's characteristics pattern of thinking, feeling and acting
C. a predictable set of responses to environmental stimuli
D. an unpredictable set of responses to environmental stimuli

CORRECT ANSWER IS: an individual's characteristics pattern of thinking, feeling and acting

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2527. QUESTION: At times, Fareeha contemplates suicide. Which of the following terms would best describe in Freudian terms what motivates those thoughts?

A. basic instincts
B. the preconscious
C. Eros
D. Thanatos

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Thanatos

2528. QUESTION: Which of the following personality inventories is not multiphasic?

A. the Taylor Manifest Anxiety Scale
B. the CPI
C. the 16 PF
D. the MMPI

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the Taylor Manifest Anxiety Scale

2529. QUESTION: Which of the following theories places most emphasis on identifying individual differences and is least concerned with explaining all of human behavior?

A. humanistic
B. social cognitive
C. trait
D. post-Freudian Psychodynamic

CORRECT ANSWER IS: trait

2530. QUESTION: Phrenology encompasses

A. free association
B. desensitization
C. a primitive, "bumps-on-the-road" approach to personality determination
D. systematic behavioral observation

CORRECT ANSWER IS: a primitive, "bumps-on-the-road" approach to personality determination

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2531. QUESTION: Which of the following is not a behaviorist?

A. Skinner
B. Maslow
C. Watson
D. Dollard

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Maslow

2532. QUESTION: Which of the following places the greatest emphasis on the unconscious mind?

A. the humanistic perspective
B. the social-cognitive perspective
C. the trait perspective
D. the psychoanalytic perspective

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the psychoanalytic perspective

2533. QUESTION: The Oedipus and Electra complexes have their roots in the

A. anal stage
B. oral stage
C. latency stage
D. phallic stage

CORRECT ANSWER IS: phallic stage

2534. QUESTION: The Freudian personality structure that is considered to be innate it the

A. id
B. ego
C. superego
D. libidinal

CORRECT ANSWER IS: id

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2535. QUESTION: Which of the following is not a projective technique?

A. word association
B. MMPI
C. Rorschach
D. Rotter Incomplete Sentences Blank

CORRECT ANSWER IS: MMPI

2536. QUESTION: Reliance on the psychometric method is a hallmark of _____ theories of personality

A. psychodynamic
B. trait
C. social cognitive
D. humanistic

CORRECT ANSWER IS: trait

2537. QUESTION: The field theory was developed by

A. Solomon Asch
B. Leon Festinger
C. Fritz Heider
D. Kurt Lewin

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Kurt Lewin

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2538. QUESTION: The door-in-the-face effect describes a process in which

A. a person who complies with a small request is more likely to comply with a larger request
B. a person who complies with a large request is more likely to comply with a smaller request
C. a person who complies with an initial large request is more likely to comply with a second large request
D. a person who refuses a large request is more likely to comply with a smaller request

CORRECT ANSWER IS: a person who refuses a large request is more likely to comply with a smaller request

2539. QUESTION: Interpersonal attraction based on rewards and costs is a prominent aspect of the

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A. theory of similarity
B. theory of complementarity
C. social exchange theory
D. theory of cognitive dissonance

CORRECT ANSWER IS: social exchange theory

2540. QUESTION: An approving comment made by a boss to his employee is an example of

A. social reinforcement
B. generalized reinforcement
C. primary reinforcement
D. positive reinforcement

CORRECT ANSWER IS: social reinforcement

2541. QUESTION: The factor that peer pressure can make a new worker put out less effort than if he or she was working alone is an example of

A. social facilitation
B. social loafing
C. cognitive reappraisal
D. inductive laziness

CORRECT ANSWER IS: social loafing

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2542. QUESTION: A man gets a job at a factory, he wants to make a good impression so her works quickly and efficiently. He notices that some of the other employees are frowning at him so he slows down his work output. This is an example of

A. social facilitation
B. social loafing
C. consolidation
D. bystander apathy

CORRECT ANSWER IS: social loafing

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2543. QUESTION: Stanley Milgram's classic experiment in social psychology is most closely associated with

A. persuasion
B. altruism
C. leadership
D. conformity

CORRECT ANSWER IS: conformity

2544. QUESTION: Person A has lied for Rs. 100/- payoff while Person B told a similar lie for Rs. 2000/-. Person B is

A. less likely to believe the lie
B. more likely to believe the lie
C. equivalent to person A in belief likelihood
D. experiencing more cognitive dissonance

CORRECT ANSWER IS: less likely to believe the lie

2545. QUESTION: Lewin and his colleagues in their study of leadership styles found that

A. the productivity of the democratic groups was greater than that of autocratic groups
B. autocratic leaders were better liked than democratic leaders
C. autocratic leaders created more hostility than democratic leaders
D. the personality triats of a leader had a greater effect than his leadership style

CORRECT ANSWER IS: autocratic leaders created more hostility than democratic leaders

2546. QUESTION: The classic social psychology experiments that demonstrated that most people would perform acts in direct contradiction to their morals and beliefs, if a legitimate authority figure accepted responsibility for those acts, was performed by

A. B. F. Skinner
B. Sigmund Freud
C. Stanley Milgram
D. Leon Festinger

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Stanley Milgram

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2547. QUESTION: Which of the following experiments developed a test in which black and white dolls are presented to black and white children with the question. "Which one looks like you?"

A. Ammons
B. Pettigrew
C. McCandless
D. Clark

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Clark

2548. QUESTION: Which of the following concepts is least related to prejudice?

A. cognitive dissonance
B. stereotype
C. familiarity effect
D. socialization

CORRECT ANSWER IS: cognitive dissonance

2549. QUESTION: The method of summated ratings refers to which of the following scales?

A. Thurston
B. Likert
C. Guttmann
D. Bogardus

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Likert

2550. QUESTION: A person is at a party surrounded by friends. They are encouraging him to try smoking. Although he is reluctant to do so, he accepts the joint and begins to smoke. He is a victim of

A. social facilitation
B. peer pressure
C. cognitive dissonance
D. immoral influence

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: peer pressure

2551. QUESTION: The most reliable public opinion polling is that which

A. accompanies census bureau statistics
B. private firms conduct prior to a political election
C. detergent firms conduct concerning product satisfaction
D. gasoline companies conduct to learn about driving habits

CORRECT ANSWER IS: private firms conduct prior to a political election

2552. QUESTION: A high school teacher walks around the room more and speaks more clearly when being observed by her principal. This is an example of

A. the placebo effect
B. the Hawthorne effect
C. the availability heuristic
D. a double-blind experiment

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the Hawthorne effect

2553. QUESTION: The Milgram experiments indicate that

A. pressure from legitimate authorities in a situation increases compliance
B. group pressure on individuals increases compliance toward group decisions
C. social pressure increases compliance
D. justification increases compliance

CORRECT ANSWER IS: pressure from legitimate authorities in a situation increases compliance

2554. QUESTION: A political gathering precedes election night by two months. Given a choice of speaking positions on the program, a political candidate would be wise to choose to be the

A. first speaker
B. middle speaker
C. last speaker
D. either b or c

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: first speaker

2555. QUESTION: Which of the following pairs is correct?

A. Festinger - attribution theory
B. Pearson - depth perception
C. Milgram - cognitive dissonance theory
D. Bandura - social learning theory

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Bandura - social learning theory

2556. QUESTION: When two people are introduced for the first time, an initial impression is formeD. Which factor most powerfully affects this first impression?

A. method of handshake
B. external locus of control
C. physical appearance
D. speech mannerisms

CORRECT ANSWER IS: physical appearance

2557. QUESTION: One of your friend arrange a meeting for you. When you are told that the person is a salesgirl, you become reluctant to meet her. She is the victim of

A. erroneous appraisal
B. a stereotype
C. projection
D. social inertia

CORRECT ANSWER IS: a stereotype

2558. QUESTION: Which of the following refers to the tendency of individuals to agree with and accept personality interpretations that are provided?

A. the Zodiac effect
B. the Barnum effect

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C. the Hawthorne effect
D. the placebo effect

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the Barnum effect

2559. QUESTION: A woman asks her friend for a loan of Rs. 1000/-. After her friend refuses, she asks for a loan of Rs. 200/- and her friend agrees. This is an example of

A. the foot-in-the-door phenomenon
B. the door-in-the-face phenomenon
C. social facilitation
D. balance theory

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the door-in-the-face phenomenon

2560. QUESTION: "Blaming the victim" is a process most closely associated with

A. diffusion of personality
B. deindividuation
C. belief in a just world
D. scapegoating

CORRECT ANSWER IS: belief in a just world

2561. QUESTION: Loftus and her colleagues found that eyewitness testimony is affected by

A. Bias in question wording
B. false information injected into question
C. inferences made to fill memory gaps
D. all of the above

CORRECT ANSWER IS: all of the above

2562. QUESTION: An athlete who has never run a mile in less than four minutes during solitary training runs a mile race in a time of 3.56 before a large crowd at a track meet. This most clearly exemplifies the theory of

A. social influence

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B. imitation
C. social facilitation
D. overcompensation

CORRECT ANSWER IS: social facilitation

2563. QUESTION: Suppose you meet a person at a party. Which theory assumes you calculate the costs and benefits of developing a relationship with the person?

A. attribution
B. altruism
C. two factor
D. social exchange

CORRECT ANSWER IS: social exchange

2564. QUESTION: Deindividuation refers to

A. antisocial acts
B. disinhibition
C. group aggression
D. anonymity in a group situation

CORRECT ANSWER IS: anonymity in a group situation

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2565. QUESTION: The fact that we expect good looking people to also be competent, good humored and intelligent is an example of

A. the Barnum effect
B. a social advantage
C. the halo effect
D. conformity

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the halo effect

2566. QUESTION: Despite working fewer hours than his coworkers. Saad receives a promotion and a raise. Instead of feeling happy, Saad feels guilty. This is best explained by

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A. social-exchange theory
B. gain-loss theory
C. equity theory
D. foot-in-the-door phenomenon

CORRECT ANSWER IS: equity theory

2567. QUESTION: Which of the following developed the "overload theory" of crowding?

A. Lorenz
B. Milgram
C. Schechter
D. Aronson

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Milgram

2568. QUESTION: As _____ increases a person's need for social affiliation increases

A. cognitive dissonance
B. fear
C. anxiety
D. depression

CORRECT ANSWER IS: fear

2569. QUESTION: Zainab, who is moderately critical of the present government, gets involved in heated political discussions with her college classmates. On her next visit home, her parents notice how much more critical of the government she has become. Which of the following is the least likely explanation for her attitude change?

A. group polarization
B. the mere exposure effect
C. social facilitation
D. conformity

CORRECT ANSWER IS: social facilitation

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2570. QUESTION: The factor that has been found to be the most predictive of interpersonal attraction is

A. similarity
B. proximity
C. status
D. physical attractiveness

CORRECT ANSWER IS: proximity

2571. QUESTION: The behavioral explanation for smoking would be

A. you get attention and status among your smoking friends
B. a physiological need for nicotine
C. it is a manifestation of the death wish
D. it is a perception that smoking is glamorous

CORRECT ANSWER IS: you get attention and status among your smoking friends

2572. QUESTION: An experimenter wants to study cooperation and competition in adolescents. Which of the following would be most useful to this study?

A. the Heinz dilemma
B. the prisoner's dilemma
C. the autokinetic effect
D. the phi-phenomenon

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the prisoner's dilemma

2573. QUESTION: A major attempt is being launched to change household attitudes toward the use of beef liver as a regular mealtime fooD. The approach is to have the most influential member of each household (a person who currently dislikes beef liver) design and deliver a talk on the prominent advantages of having beef liver as a regular mealtime fooD. The theory underlying this approach to attitude change would be

A. cognitive dissonance
B. behavior exchange
C. complementarity
D. vulnerability

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: cognitive dissonance

2574. QUESTION: A two-sided communication is best defined as a communication

A. which is not supported by at least one member of the group
B. from both a high and low credibility source
C. in which a person argues a position contrary to his own beliefs
D. which includes arguments both for and against a position

CORRECT ANSWER IS: which includes arguments both for and against a position

2575. QUESTION: During the first few months at a new school, a student feels lonely and becomes withdraw can be called

A. statistical infrequency
B. deviation from social norms
C. antisocial behavior
D. maladaptive behavior

CORRECT ANSWER IS: maladaptive behavior

2576. QUESTION: The type of scale that is used for a variable such as political party affiliation or religion is a/an _____ scale.

A. ratio
B. interval
C. nominal
D. ordinal

CORRECT ANSWER IS: nominal

2577. QUESTION: The concept of social facilitation implies that

A. friendships are easier to make in large groups than in small ones
B. prejudices are more easily overcome in sociable settings
C. the presence of other people improves individual performance
D. conformity is greatest when other people are present

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: the presence of other people improves individual performance

2578. QUESTION: Maheen is learning to swim. She finds that when she swims in a group, she performs better than she swims alone, this is consistent with

A. social comparison theory
B. social facilitation
C. social influence
D. equity theory

CORRECT ANSWER IS: social facilitation

2579. QUESTION: The fact that most people act differently at a funeral relative to the way they behave at a party is an example of

A. a reactionary cognitive state
B. social acclimation
C. situation inducement
D. a stereotype

CORRECT ANSWER IS: situation inducement

2580. QUESTION: The systematic study of how humans position themselves in relation to others is called

A. orthography
B. chronemics
C. proxemics
D. spatial relations

CORRECT ANSWER IS: proxemics

2581. QUESTION: Investigations into influence of group pressure on perceptual judgements reveal that

A. many people obey orders even though they object strongly to what they are doing
B. the less ambiguous the stimulus, the more likely it is that the subject will confirm to group pressure
C. the more ambiguous the stimulus, the more likely it is that the subject will confirm to group pressure

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D. a pressure group is more effective in getting a subject to conform if group opinion is not unanimous

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the more ambiguous the stimulus, the more likely it is that the subject will confirm to group pressure

2582. QUESTION: The Generalized Thurstone Scales were developed by

A. Likert
B. Bogardus
C. Remmers
D. Osgood

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Remmers

2583. QUESTION: Which of the following characteristics have been found to be strong predictors of conformity to social pressure?

A. authoritarian personality
B. external personality
C. high need for approval
D. all of the above

CORRECT ANSWER IS: all of the above

2584. QUESTION: Which of the following is not a factor that influences the degree to which two people like each other?

A. conformity
B. familiarity
C. physical attractiveness
D. similarity

CORRECT ANSWER IS: conformity

2585. QUESTION: According to Zimbardo study, wearing uniform has been found to promote

A. depression
B. social loafing

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C. reactance
D. deindividuation

CORRECT ANSWER IS: deindividuation

2586. QUESTION: A social norm is

A. the best way to act under the circumstances
B. the unwritten rules of a community
C. the laws of the region
D. a rule for success that is taught to children

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the unwritten rules of a community

2587. QUESTION: Formulation of dissonance theory was initiated by

A. Aronson
B. Thurstone
C. Festinger
D. Newcomb

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Festinger

2588. QUESTION: The best scale of aggression which a social scientist may employ to claim that "Ali is twice as aggressive as Musa," would be a/an

A. ordinal scale
B. interval scale
C. ratio scale
D. logarithmic scale

CORRECT ANSWER IS: ratio scale

2589. QUESTION: Sociometry refers to the study of

A. how sociable a person is
B. leadership qualities

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C. the structure of small groups
D. measuring how extroverted a person is

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the structure of small groups

2590. QUESTION: The statement "she stole from the store because she is a thief" is an example of which of the following

A. the fundamental attribution error
B. the just-world bias
C. the base-rate fallacy
D. cognitive dissonance

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the fundamental attribution error

2591. QUESTION: Zehra has been playing solitaire on her computer for months. She believes that she has become a good player, and seeks out other solitaire players to determine exactly how good she is. This behavior is consistent with

A. inoculation theory
B. social loafing
C. social comparison theory
D. social facilitation

CORRECT ANSWER IS: social comparison theory

2592. QUESTION: Solomon Asch conducted a classic experiment in which he asked a group of college students to decide which one of three lines was equal in length to a standard line. What was Asch studying?

A. the mere exposure effect
B. conformity
C. social facilitation
D. reference groups

CORRECT ANSWER IS: conformity

2593. QUESTION: A company has a screening test that involves responding to letters, memoranda, telephone messages, and other items typical of the contents of an executive's in-basket. This is an example of

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A. an aptitude test
B. an intelligence test
C. an achievement test
D. a sociability measure

CORRECT ANSWER IS: an aptitude test

2594. QUESTION: Attribution theory

A. is concerned with the cognitive bases upon which actions are performed
B. is rarely accurate
C. is responsible for breakthroughs in attitude measurement
D. is concerned with the ways in which people organize behavior and makes it meaningful

CORRECT ANSWER IS: is concerned with the ways in which people organize behavior and makes it meaningful

2595. QUESTION: Social psychologists study _____ while sociologists study _____

A. group, individual
B. group norms, national norms
C. individuals, groups
D. abnormal people, normal people

CORRECT ANSWER IS: individuals, groups

2596. QUESTION: Zajonc found that familiarity leads to

A. positive reaction
B. negative reaction
C. contempt
D. failure

CORRECT ANSWER IS: positive reaction

2597. QUESTION: The term "schizophrenia" comes from the Greek word meaning

A. splitting of the mind

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B. splitting of the body
C. splitting of souls
D. in search of

CORRECT ANSWER IS: splitting of the mind

2598. QUESTION: A group discussing how best to handle insubordinate employees moves from an initial position where the employees would receive a verbal reprimand to the conclusion that insubordinate employees will be summarily dismisseD. This is an example of

A. group polarization
B. social comparison
C. social exchange
D. social facilitation

CORRECT ANSWER IS: group polarization

2599. QUESTION: Suppose you join a pickup basketball game at the gym in which the teams are randomly chosen. As the game progresses you notice that you and other members of your team begin to believe your team is superior and expresses signs of hostility toward your opponents. What accounts for this?

A. prejudice
B. stereotypes
C. in-group bias
D. actor-observer bias

CORRECT ANSWER IS: in-group bias

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2600. QUESTION: Crowd behavior and mob mentality and racial discrimination are popular topics in

A. applied psychology
B. social psychology
C. child psychology
D. clinical psychology

CORRECT ANSWER IS: social psychology

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2601. QUESTION: Milgram's experiments on obedience demonstrated that

A. most subjects refused to give extremely painful electric shocks to an innocent victim
B. most subjects did obey the command to give extremely painful electric shocks to an innocent victim
C. only subjects scoring high on a measure of authoritarian personality agreed to shock an innocent victim
D. the subject's moral values were more important than the tendency to obey an authority figure's command

CORRECT ANSWER IS: most subjects did obey the command to give extremely painful electric shocks to an innocent victim

2602. QUESTION: Which of the following is not a characteristic of sociopathy?

A. no sense of responsibility
B. low intelligence
C. lack of genuine insight
D. antisocial behavioral without regret

CORRECT ANSWER IS: low intelligence

2603. QUESTION: This leadership type motivates through charisma and vision to set and attain goals beyond worker expectation

A. transformational
B. transactional
C. democratic
D. authoritarian

CORRECT ANSWER IS: transformational

2604. QUESTION: Researchers have found correlations between juvenile delinquency and such background aspects as

A. father acceptance and mother submissiveness
B. broken homes and parental absenteeism
C. strong religious background
D. warm, permissive family setting

CORRECT ANSWER IS: broken homes and parental absenteeism

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2605. QUESTION: The process of one person becoming differentiated from others in a particular social situation is called

A. individuation
B. differentiation
C. modeling
D. prototyping

CORRECT ANSWER IS: individuation

2606. QUESTION: Which one of the following combinations is included in Allport's psychodynamic view of prejudice?

A. frustration, regression
B. instinctive, scapegoating
C. regression, aggression
D. aggression, exploitation

CORRECT ANSWER IS: instinctive, scapegoating

2607. QUESTION: What three styles of parenting did Baumrind identify?

A. autocratic, democratic, lasses-faire
B. authoritarian, authoritative, permissive
C. pre-conventional, conventional, post-conventional
D. phototoxic, parataxis, syntaxic

CORRECT ANSWER IS: authoritarian, authoritative, permissive

2608. QUESTION: Zajonc's research has shown that in the presence of others

A. performance of dominant responses deteriorates, while performance of non-dominant responses improves
B. performance of dominant responses improves, while performance of non-dominant responses deteriorates
C. performance of all types of responses improves
D. performance of all types of responses deteriorates

CORRECT ANSWER IS: performance of dominant responses improves, while performance of non-dominant responses deteriorates

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2609. QUESTION: Which of the following choices best describes a sociogram?

A. an open-ended test in which subjects describe social goals
B. a test that asks the subjects to specify reasons for social choices and rejections
C. a diagram that exposes the social structure of a group
D. both a and b

CORRECT ANSWER IS: a diagram that exposes the social structure of a group

2610. QUESTION: In which of the following settings would a victim be most likely to receive help?

A. several men watching the mishap
B. several women watching the mishap
C. three people watching the mishap
D. one person watching the mishap

CORRECT ANSWER IS: one person watching the mishap

2611. QUESTION: Which one of the following sayings would social-attraction research find most generally acceptable?

A. "misery loves company"
B. "familiarity breeds contempt"
C. "lides repel, opposite attract"
D. "birds of a feather flocks together"

CORRECT ANSWER IS: "birds of a feather flocks together"

2612. QUESTION: Anonymity has been shown to increase

A. prejudice
B. aggression
C. conformity
D. loving

CORRECT ANSWER IS: aggression

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2613. QUESTION: In Sherif's experimentation on autokinetic effect, individual judgements

A. remained unchanged in the face of group judgement
B. changed significantly toward group judgement
C. changed slightly, but not significantly, toward group judgement
D. changed slightly in a nonconforming direction

CORRECT ANSWER IS: changed significantly toward group judgement

2614. QUESTION: Negative behavior toward or negative treatment of members of a particular group is known as

A. in group-out-group bias
B. stereotyping
C. self-fulfilling prophecy
D. discrimination

CORRECT ANSWER IS: discrimination

2615. QUESTION: The greater the deindividuation of any group the

A. more irresponsibly its members behave
B. more responsibly its members behave
C. greater the chance for antisocial behavior
D. both a and c

CORRECT ANSWER IS: both a and c

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2616. QUESTION: Research evidence suggests highest aggression among boys who come from which of the following settings?

A. broken
B. father-absent
C. father-present
D. mother-present

CORRECT ANSWER IS: father-present

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2617. QUESTION: The foot-in-the-door technique suggests that a person is most likely to gain consumer cooperation on a sizeable purchase or a large favor is he or she

A. is open about the large purchase or favor in initial contact
B. is the first salesman to come to the consumer's door
C. represents a reputable company
D. can successfully make a small scale or first gain the consumer's cooperation on a small favor

CORRECT ANSWER IS: can successfully make a small scale or first gain the consumer's cooperation on a small favor

2618. QUESTION: In the Milgram obedience studies, the "teachers" would give painful electric shock to the "learner" even though the learners begged them to stop. The results suggest that

A. people are basically sadists
B. the subjects were ignorant about the dangers of electric shock
C. people will obey legitimate authority even if the orders are against their moral codes
D. corporal punishment does not work

CORRECT ANSWER IS: people will obey legitimate authority even if the orders are against their moral codes

2619. QUESTION: In which one of the following test setting types might a person be asked to respond to the statement "I would accept him as a close friend?"

A. Thurstone
B. Osgood
C. Bogardus
D. Likert

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Bogardus

2620. QUESTION: A telemarketer calls customers and asks them few questions about their long-distance service. She then asks them to change their long-distance carrier. The telemarketer is attempting to take advantage of the

A. inoculation theory
B. foot-in-the-door effect
C. door-in-the-face effect
D. sleeper effect

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: foot-in-the-door effect

2621. QUESTION: One way to increase the likelihood of compliance with a request is to induce a person to agree first to a much smaller request. This is known as the

A. sleeper effect
B. cognitive consistency technique
C. foot-in-the-door technique
D. Hawthorne effect

CORRECT ANSWER IS: foot-in-the-door technique

2622. QUESTION: Which one of the following combinations would, by definition, be necessary to have an attitude?

A. enduring system, feeling component
B. temporary system, cognitive component
C. stereotype system, action component
D. modification system, behavioral component

CORRECT ANSWER IS: enduring system, feeling component

2623. QUESTION: Proximity as a factor in social attraction

A. proves least important in apartment-building settings
B. is generally unimportant
C. proves to be of primary importance
D. is less important than occupation

CORRECT ANSWER IS: proves to be of primary importance

2624. QUESTION: During a lecture, smoke begins to enter the room, from under a closet door. The student wait until the professor tells them to leave before they respond to the situation. This scene illustrates the principle of

A. diffusion of responsibility
B. social politeness
C. pluralistic ignorance
D. obedience to authority

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: pluralistic ignorance

2625. QUESTION: The role of imitation is social learning was first systematically observed by

A. Miller and Dollard
B. Bandura and Walters
C. Stanley Milgram
D. B. F. Skinner

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Miller and Dollard

2626. QUESTION: Which leadership style tends to produce the most satisfied members?

A. autocratic
B. authoritative
C. authoritarian
D. democratic

CORRECT ANSWER IS: democratic

2627. QUESTION: If someone is told ahead of time that he is going to be exposed to a persuasive communication

A. he will be less able to resist persuasion
B. he will be more able to resist persuasion
C. cognitive dissonance is only slightly increased
D. cognitive dissonance is greatly increased

CORRECT ANSWER IS: he will be less able to resist persuasion

2628. QUESTION: According to the findings of Lewin, Lippett and White, which of the following leadership styles would create the highest group productivity when the leader is absent?

A. autocratic
B. democratic
C. lassez-faire or autocratic
D. lassez-faire or democratic

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: democratic

2629. QUESTION: Parents who beat their children severely and frequently

A. are honestly trying to teach their children good discipline
B. were seldom disciplined themselves as children
C. are following modern theories of child rearing
D. were probably victims themselves of the battered child syndrome

CORRECT ANSWER IS: were probably victims themselves of the battered child syndrome

2630. QUESTION: "Checkmark the statements you agree with" would be an instruction found in a/an _____ scale

A. Likert
B. Osgood
C. Kuder
D. Thurstone

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Thurstone

2631. QUESTION: The phenomenon in which individuals lose their personal sense of responsibility when they are in a group is known as

A. adaptive conformity
B. disinhibition
C. deindividuation
D. impulsiveness

CORRECT ANSWER IS: deindividuation

2632. QUESTION: Which of the following variables affect conformity?

A. size of the majority opinion
B. prior commitment
C. status of individuals in the group
D. all of the above

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: all of the above

2633. QUESTION: The fact that people will work harder for a while after a supervisor speaks to them is an example of

A. social loafing
B. obedience
C. social facilitation
D. peer compliance

CORRECT ANSWER IS: social facilitation

2634. QUESTION: A researcher finds that the same individuals are rated as less attractive when they are identified as criminals than they are not so identifieD. This best illustrates

A. reactance
B. the halo effect
C. the mere exposure effect
D. belief perseverance

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the halo effect

2635. QUESTION: Many pedestrians observe a motorist sideswipe a parked car, but none reports the incident. This behavior is an example of

A. social proximity
B. pluralistic ignorance
C. diffusion of responsibility
D. altruism

CORRECT ANSWER IS: diffusion of responsibility

2636. QUESTION: The public opinion survey is

A. a passive record of opinion
B. limited to what the public believes at one moment in time
C. generally ignored by successful politicians

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D. increasingly helping to shape opinions as well as measure it

CORRECT ANSWER IS: limited to what the public believes at one moment in time

2637. QUESTION: Solomon Asch reported that individuals conformed to a group's judgment of the lengths of lines

A. even when the group judgment was clearly incorrect
B. only when the group was composed of at least six members
C. even when the group seemed uncertain and repeatedly altered its judgment
D. only when members of the group were of high status

CORRECT ANSWER IS: even when the group judgment was clearly incorrect

2638. QUESTION: Which of the following phenomena is minimized by group monitoring?

A. social loafing
B. social comparison
C. in group/our group bias
D. groupthink

CORRECT ANSWER IS: social loafing

2639. QUESTION: The three basic components of prejudice are effective

A. internal and external
B. real and imagined
C. descriptive and perspective
D. cognitive and behavioral

CORRECT ANSWER IS: cognitive and behavioral

2640. QUESTION: Studies show that an "authoritarian family" tends to produce an adolescent who is

A. dependent and obedient
B. self reliant
C. surface compliant but rebellious underneath
D. independent but reserved

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: surface compliant but rebellious underneath

2641. QUESTION: Prejudice is best defined as

A. the tendency to favor members of one's own group
B. the belief that victims of misfortune deserve their fate
C. a perceived incompatibility of actions and goals
D. an unjustifiable attitude towards a group and its members

CORRECT ANSWER IS: an unjustifiable attitude towards a group and its members

2642. QUESTION: In many trials in the court defense lawyers use the strategy of blaming the victim, so that the accused perpetrator might be set free. People's tendency to go along with victim blaming can be explained by

A. oversimplification
B. the representativeness heuristic
C. the just world bias
D. the illusion of control

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the just world bias

2643. QUESTION: Because Ghazala is a good student, her teacher assumes she is also artistic, well behaved and from a good family. The teacher's assumptions are explained by

A. the halo effect
B. oversimplification
C. good continuation
D. self-fulfilling prophecy

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the halo effect

2644. QUESTION: A person has attitude towards

A. all objects which are perceived by him
B. all objects which exist in his own life-space
C. all possible objects

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D. none of these

CORRECT ANSWER IS: all objects which exist in his own life-space

2645. QUESTION: Prejudice is most likely to develop as a way of justifying

A. group polarization
B. social traps
C. mirror-image perception
D. social inequalities

CORRECT ANSWER IS: social inequalities

2646. QUESTION: The social distance scale is mainly a measure of

A. ethnic attitude
B. cohesiveness of a group
C. upward social mobility
D. social class differences

CORRECT ANSWER IS: ethnic attitude

2647. QUESTION: The idea that people will alter their actions or beliefs so that their actions and beliefs are in agreement with one another is the theory of

A. risky shift
B. cognitive dissonance
C. Purkinje shift
D. self-serving bias

CORRECT ANSWER IS: cognitive dissonance

2648. QUESTION: Which of the following psychologist is associated with cognitive dissonance theory?

A. Cannon
B. Festinger
C. Maslow

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D. Zuckerman

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Festinger

2649. QUESTION: Henry Landsberger discovered that

A. people behave differently when observed (Hawthorne effect)
B. that people remember uncompleted tasks better than ones they completed (Zeigarnik effect)
C. conclusions are influenced by the way information is phrased (Atmosphere effect)
D. a single point of light will appear to move in the darkness (Autokinetic effect)

CORRECT ANSWER IS: people behave differently when observed (Hawthorne effect)

2650. QUESTION: According to the concept of coactions

A. children work most effectively when doing two tasks at the same time
B. children work more slowly in the presence of an audience than they do when working alone
C. children work faster in the presence of an audience than they do when working alone
D. children work faster when another child is present and doing the same task than they would alone

CORRECT ANSWER IS: children work faster when another child is present and doing the same task than they would alone

2651. QUESTION: The idea that over-benefited people tend to feel guilty is explained through

A. equity theory
B. social exchange theory
C. gain-loss theory
D. reciprocal interaction

CORRECT ANSWER IS: equity theory

2652. QUESTION: Discrepancies between attitudes lead to

A. prejudice
B. cognitive dissonance
C. relative deprivation
D. the fundamental attribution error

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: cognitive dissonance

2653. QUESTION: Which of the following factors has the greatest influence on interpersonal attraction?

A. similarity of need
B. proximity
C. educational balance
D. similarity of background

CORRECT ANSWER IS: proximity

2654. QUESTION: The semantic differential scale is used mainly to measure

A. values
B. opinions
C. attitudes
D. interests

CORRECT ANSWER IS: attitudes

2655. QUESTION: The tendency to attribute one's own feelings and thoughts to an external object is known as

A. personification
B. displacement
C. cathexis
D. projection

CORRECT ANSWER IS: projection

2656. QUESTION: Each of the following figures performed famous experiments in the area of conformity except

A. Stanley Milgram
B. Philip Zimbardo
C. Leon Festinger
D. Soloman Asch

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: Leon Festinger

2657. QUESTION: Which of the following is most likely to produce cognitive dissonance?

A. "I shall go to this movie or none at all"
B. "I enjoy working, although I don't know exactly why"
C. "I spend time with her, but I don't really like her"
D. "I can't stand him, and he doesn't like me either"

CORRECT ANSWER IS: "I spend time with her, but I don't really like her"

2658. QUESTION: Which branch of psychology is most directly concerned with the study of how people think about, influences and relate to one another

A. developmental psychology
B. experimental psychology
C. personality psychology
D. social psychology

CORRECT ANSWER IS: social psychology

2659. QUESTION: Attitudes are _____ that guide behavior

A. norms and roles
B. beliefs and feelings
C. super ordinate goals
D. dispositional attributes

CORRECT ANSWER IS: beliefs and feelings

2660. QUESTION: Learned helplessness is associated with

A. neuroticism
B. introversion
C. androgyny
D. an external locus of control

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: an external locus of control

2661. QUESTION: Which of the following figures is known for developing field theory?

A. Festinger
B. Asch
C. Lewin
D. Triplett

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Lewin

2662. QUESTION: Which of the following theories is characterized by the assumption that individuals have a need to evaluate their own attitude and abilities?

A. social facilitation
B. social comparison theory
C. social influence
D. social exchange theory

CORRECT ANSWER IS: social comparison theory

2663. QUESTION: Stereotypes are

A. special types of schemas that are part of people's shared cultural background
B. widely held beliefs that people have certain characteristics because of their membership in a particular group
C. equivalent to prejudice
D. both a and b

CORRECT ANSWER IS: special types of schemas that are part of people's shared cultural background

2664. QUESTION: The theory which suggests that people learn attitudes by observing their own behavior is

A. operant conditioning
B. C R
C. self-perception
D. vicarious learning

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: self-perception

2665. QUESTION: According to Bandura, one is socialized by

A. punishment
B. observation
C. food
D. none of these

CORRECT ANSWER IS: observation

2666. QUESTION: Presence of others may interfere with performance due to

A. social inhibition
B. social loafing
C. distraction
D. all of these

CORRECT ANSWER IS: distraction

2667. QUESTION: When we receive mixed information about a person, we tend to base out impression on the information that is

A. favorable
B. unfavorable
C. received first
D. received last

CORRECT ANSWER IS: received first

2668. QUESTION: Most of the social-psychological research on attitude change has been generated by theories concerning

A. consistency in attitudes and behavior
B. cognitive dissonance
C. self-perception
D. attribution

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: cognitive dissonance

2669. QUESTION: As the industrial psychologist deals with physical conditions relating to the work setting, which of the following is of least significance?

A. illumination
B. heat and humidity
C. coffee break intervals
D. space arrangements

CORRECT ANSWER IS: coffee break intervals

2670. QUESTION: During the past thirty years, industrial psychology has evolved toward

A. less reliance on standardized instruments
B. more emphasis on human relations
C. more emphasis on hierarchy
D. more emphasis on organizational structure

CORRECT ANSWER IS: more emphasis on human relations

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2671. QUESTION: All of the following are some of the major sources of work stress except

A. little control
B. shift work
C. high decision latitude
D. discrimination

CORRECT ANSWER IS: discrimination

2672. QUESTION: The human body cools down two different ways. These are through

A. evaporation and circadian rhythm
B. radiation and effective temperature
C. radiation and evaporation
D. none of these

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: radiation and evaporation

2673. QUESTION: If an organization's competition plan is competitive with other similar organizations', they are said to have

A. internal equity
B. merit
C. comparable worth
D. external equity

CORRECT ANSWER IS: external equity

2674. QUESTION: Which one of the following has not been used as an industrial method at the supervisor management levels?

A. case method
B. role playing method
C. free association method
D. sensitivity training method

CORRECT ANSWER IS: free association method

2675. QUESTION: In an organization benefits provide _____ and variable pay provides _____

A. incentive / incentive
B. incentive / security
C. security / security
D. security / incentive

CORRECT ANSWER IS: security / incentive

2676. QUESTION: In designing and arranging work space, human engineering personnel seek to

A. build in unnecessary worker movement to reduce boredom
B. eliminate all unnecessary movement
C. keep workers within close talking distance of each other

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D. place the most important functions just above the worker's head

CORRECT ANSWER IS: eliminate all unnecessary movement

2677. QUESTION: Which of the following techniques involves cleaning your desk and preparing a diary?

A. Abdominal breathing
B. time management
C. meditation
D. progressive muscle relaxation

CORRECT ANSWER IS: time management

2678. QUESTION: An organization using its resource wisely and in a cost effective way is considered

A. conservative
B. modern
C. efficient
D. effective

CORRECT ANSWER IS: efficient

2679. QUESTION: Which of the following incentive plans is not a group incentive plan?

A. profit sharing
B. merit pay
C. gainsharing
D. stock options

CORRECT ANSWER IS: merit pay

2680. QUESTION: Research with industrial workers has found which one of the following to be most effective motivator?

A. money
B. frequency of tea breaks
C. prestige
D. opportunity for advancement

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: opportunity for advancement

2681. QUESTION: The job evaluation process determines the amount of money that a job is worth, this amount is called _____ compensation

A. financial
B. monetary
C. direct
D. indirect

CORRECT ANSWER IS: direct

2682. QUESTION: Employees who work with highly motivated coworkers are likely to be ____ than employees who work with unmotivated coworkers

A. less challenged
B. less satisfied
C. more resentful
D. more motivated

CORRECT ANSWER IS: more motivated

2683. QUESTION: In equipment design, human engineering recommends that the least important and least frequent tasks on a console be placed

A. immediately in front of the person
B. immediately above the person
C. approximately forty-five degrees to the left of center
D. approximately ninety to one hundred degrees to the right or left of corner

CORRECT ANSWER IS: approximately ninety to one hundred degrees to the right or left of corner

2684. QUESTION: Which of the following are some of the major sources of work stress except

A. little control
B. shift work

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C. high decision latitude
D. discrimination

CORRECT ANSWER IS: discrimination

2685. QUESTION: The _____ is the process of determining the work activities and requirements and the _____ is the written result

A. job description / job analysis
B. job analysis / job evaluation
C. job evaluation / job description
D. job analysis / job description

CORRECT ANSWER IS: job analysis / job description

2686. QUESTION: Human factors engineering is concerned with

A. providing therapy using physical methods
B. the design of equipment and the tasks performed with the operation of equipment
C. automated instruction methods
D. human perceptions of the machines they operate

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the design of equipment and the tasks performed with the operation of equipment

2687. QUESTION: Which of the following methods of avoiding downsizing is based on the premise that most economic recessions last less than a year?

A. job sharing
B. restricted overtime
C. use of payless holidays
D. reduced employee pay

CORRECT ANSWER IS: reduced employee pay

2688. QUESTION: Job satisfaction is most related to

A. absenteeism

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B. tenure
C. performance
D. organizational commitment

CORRECT ANSWER IS: organizational commitment

2689. QUESTION: Advertises place beautiful people or likeable places and objects with the products they are trying to sell because these items

A. distract from the disadvantages of the product
B. cause pleasant feelings to be evoked
C. are part of the product's basic qualities
D. are just elements of scenery

CORRECT ANSWER IS: cause pleasant feelings to be evoked

2690. QUESTION: Correct use of resources in an organization is known as

A. conservation
B. modernity
C. efficiency
D. effectiveness

CORRECT ANSWER IS: efficiency

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2691. QUESTION: Which of the following is not a component of a core self-evaluation?

A. self-monitoring
B. locus of control
C. self-efficacy
D. self-esteem

CORRECT ANSWER IS: self-monitoring

2692. QUESTION: You are watching television and see a commercial where one of your favorite movie star is discussing a nutritional cereal that you should buy. Because we like that star's movies, there is tendency to believe that the star is also an expert on cereals. This tendency is referred to as the _____ effect

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A. star
B. halo
C. piezoelectric
D. none of these

CORRECT ANSWER IS: halo

2693. QUESTION: Which of the following sections in a job description can effect a person's perceptions of the status and worth of a job?

A. work activities
B. brief summary
C. work context
D. job title

CORRECT ANSWER IS: job title

2694. QUESTION: An employee who works only the morning shift each day has what kind of shift schedule?

A. Gliding
B. rotating
C. fixed
D. flexible

CORRECT ANSWER IS: fixed

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2695. QUESTION: Improved job satisfaction results in _____ in work performance and _____ in turnover.

A. decrease, decrease
B. increase, no change
C. increase, increase
D. no change, decrease

CORRECT ANSWER IS: increase, increase

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2696. QUESTION: According to _____ "new" employees who work with highly satisfied "old" employees are more likely to be highly satisfied themselves

A. McClelland's needs theory
B. consistency theory
C. individual difference theory
D. social information processing theory

CORRECT ANSWER IS: social information processing theory

2697. QUESTION: The most difficult conflicts to resolve are

A. approach-approach
B. double approach-avoidance
C. avoidance-avoidance
D. avoidance-approach

CORRECT ANSWER IS: double approach-avoidance

2698. QUESTION: Which of the following is most likely to lead to high job satisfaction?

A. matching personality with occupation
B. promotion practices based on seniority
C. having an outgoing personality
D. working alone

CORRECT ANSWER IS: matching personality with occupation

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2699. QUESTION: You would like to hire employees who will not miss work. Your best bet would be to hire applicants who score high on the personality dimension of

A. conscientiousness
B. extroversion
C. agreeableness
D. neuroticism

CORRECT ANSWER IS: conscientiousness

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2700. QUESTION: Bonuses, recognition awards, praise and time off improve motivation through the application of

A. performance appraisal
B. benefits
C. reinforcement
D. objective criteria

CORRECT ANSWER IS: reinforcement

2701. QUESTION: During the job analysis interview, the questions asked should be

A. highly structured
B. open-ended
C. true-false
D. multiple choice

CORRECT ANSWER IS: open-ended

2702. QUESTION: A psychologist who assesses the effects of noise levels in a factory and the incidence of accidents is probably a/an _____ psychologist

A. psychoanalytic
B. industrial
C. social
D. commercial

CORRECT ANSWER IS: industrial

2703. QUESTION: Employees with high self-esteem are likely to be

A. unmotivated and perform poorly
B. unmotivated bur perform well
C. motivated and perform well
D. motivated but not perform well

CORRECT ANSWER IS: motivated and perform well

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2704. QUESTION: To increase employee productivity, industrial/organizational psychologist's advise managers to

A. adopt a directive leadership style
B. adopt a democratic leadership style
C. instill competitiveness in each employee
D. deal with employees according to their individual motives

CORRECT ANSWER IS: deal with employees according to their individual motives

2705. QUESTION: An organization which successfully achieve the goals will be considered as

A. efficient
B. systematic
C. effective
D. reasonable

CORRECT ANSWER IS: efficient

2706. QUESTION: Which of these is not a method of downward communication?

A. Complaint box
B. Bulletin board
C. Policy manual
D. Memo

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Complaint box

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2707. QUESTION: The tone, tempo and volume in which one speaks is a nonverbal cue known as

A. body language
B. proximity
C. paralanguage
D. artifacts

CORRECT ANSWER IS: paralanguage

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2708. QUESTION: Human factors psychology is most closely related to which of the following areas of psychology?

A. clinical
B. industrial
C. social
D. personality

CORRECT ANSWER IS: industrial

2709. QUESTION: Psychologists in the area of _____ concentrate on workplace design, man-machine interaction, and physical fatigue.

A. human factors
B. personnel psychology
C. training and development
D. organizational psychology

CORRECT ANSWER IS: human factors

2710. QUESTION: An employee who inquiries about his/her level of pay compared to other employees within the same organization is addressing the issue of

A. internal equity
B. merit
C. comparable worth
D. external equity

CORRECT ANSWER IS: internal equity

2711. QUESTION: Grouping activities and resources in an organization is a function of

A. leading
B. organizing
C. coordination
D. monitoring

CORRECT ANSWER IS: coordination

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2712. QUESTION: Umer assigns tasks that are challenging yet achievable and specially tells employees what he expects from them. It sounds like Umar believes in

A. providing feedback
B. intrinsic motivation theory
C. the Pygmalion effect
D. goal setting theory

CORRECT ANSWER IS: goal setting theory

2713. QUESTION: Human engineers estimate that the best room temperature for moderately heavy work extending over two to four hours to be in the range of

A. 55 - 60 degree
B. 65 - 70 degree
C. 75 - 80 degree
D. 90 - 95 degree

CORRECT ANSWER IS: 65 - 70 degree

2714. QUESTION: A manager who is most effective in a climate of disorganization has a/an _____ leadership style

A. affiliation
B. tactical
C. coercive
D. position

CORRECT ANSWER IS: tactical

2715. QUESTION: Employees with high role ambiguity will

A. have increased job satisfaction
B. all three will result from role ambiguity
C. become depressed
D. perform at higher levels

CORRECT ANSWER IS: become depressed

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2716. QUESTION: When psychological tests are used in personnel selection, an important concern regarding the test is

A. cost
B. ease of administration
C. validity
D. objectivity

CORRECT ANSWER IS: validity

2717. QUESTION: One of the first steps for a psychologist assigned to develop selection procedures for a specific job would be

A. develop an intelligence test
B. develop a test for musical aptitude
C. examine the tasks of that specific job
D. develop a test for manual dexterity

CORRECT ANSWER IS: examine the tasks of that specific job

2718. QUESTION: A manager who organizes and controls the activities of employees has a/an _____ style of leadership

A. achievement-oriented
B. participative
C. instrumental
D. supportive

CORRECT ANSWER IS: instrumental

2719. QUESTION: Zia provides information to Afzal who provides information to Umer who provides information to ZiA. This is an example of which type of communication network?

A. Chain
B. centralized
C. open
D. circle

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: Chain

2720. QUESTION: Nonverbal communication refers to

A. how a person uses time
B. body language
C. the way in which a person uses space
D. all of the above

CORRECT ANSWER IS: all of the above

2721. QUESTION: A new manager is assigned staff who are unsure about a task but are willing to do it. She should use a _____ approach

A. delegating
B. supporting
C. coaching
D. directing

CORRECT ANSWER IS: coaching

2722. QUESTION: Maria notices that none of other members of her group are working hard so she decides to lower her effort. Her behavior supports the _____ theory of social loafing

A. free-rider
B. individual dominance
C. distraction
D. sucker-effect

CORRECT ANSWER IS: sucker-effect

2723. QUESTION: A person who ignores conflict and hopes it will go away is using a/an _____ style.

A. accommodating
B. avoiding
C. forcing
D. collaborative

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: avoiding

2724. QUESTION: In _____ a neutral outside party listens to the arguments of both sides in a conflict and then makes a decision that each side must accept

A. binding mediation
B. nonbinding arbitration
C. binding arbitration
D. nonbinding mediation

CORRECT ANSWER IS: binding arbitration

2725. QUESTION: In an organizational setup operant conditioning focuses on

A. modeling of behavior
B. employee needs
C. self-esteem
D. reinforcement of behavior

CORRECT ANSWER IS: reinforcement of behavior

2726. QUESTION: A single-goal object has both desirable and undeniable feature in

A. approach-approach conflict
B. approach-avoidance conflict
C. avoidance-avoidance conflict
D. double approach-avoidance conflict

CORRECT ANSWER IS: approach-avoidance conflict

2727. QUESTION: The body's own self-produced "pain killers" are

A. epinephrine and nor-epinephrine
B. endorphins and enkephalins
C. opium and heroin
D. GABA and ACTH

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: endorphins and enkephalins

2728. QUESTION: The approach-approach conflict involves

A. an unstable equilibrium
B. a stable equilibrium
C. an oscillation of a and b
D. neither a nor b

CORRECT ANSWER IS: a stable equilibrium

2729. QUESTION: One effect of stress on the body is to

A. suppress the immune system
B. facilitate the immune system responses
C. increase disease resistance
D. increase the growth of B and T lymphocytes

CORRECT ANSWER IS: suppress the immune system

2730. QUESTION: Which of the following would be the best piece of advice to offer a person who is trying to minimize the adverse effects of stress on his or her health?

A. "avoid challenging situations that may prove stressful"
B. "learn to play as hard as you work"
C. "maintain a sense of control and a positive approach of life"
D. "keep your emotional responses in check by keeping your feelings to yourself"

CORRECT ANSWER IS: "maintain a sense of control and a positive approach of life"

2731. QUESTION: In Brady's work with "executive monkey", those that developed uclers had

A. mother-deprived backgrounds
B. father-deprived backgrounds
C. capacity to control shock onset
D. no capacity to control shock onset

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: capacity to control shock onset

2732. QUESTION: The relationship between environmental frustration and personal frustration may also be characterized as

A. stimulus vs response
B. needs vs drive
C. social vs nonsocial
D. external vs internal

CORRECT ANSWER IS: external vs internal

2733. QUESTION: The feeling we have when our goals are blocked is

A. frustration
B. conflict
C. hassle
D. hardness

CORRECT ANSWER IS: frustration

2734. QUESTION: Aerobic exercise has been closely linked to a/an

A. decrease in lymphocyte production
B. decrease in depression
C. increase in blood pressure in reaction to stress
D. decrease in the production of endorphins

CORRECT ANSWER IS: decrease in depression

2735. QUESTION: Which of the following is a true concerning smoking treatment programme?

A. most are effective in the long run
B. hypnosis is more effective than behavior modification
C. treatment programs are more effective with women than with man
D. most participants eventually resume smoking

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: most participants eventually resume smoking

2736. QUESTION: In studying bodily reactions to stress, Hans Selye found the initial reaction to be

A. resistance
B. exhaustion
C. alarm
D. migraines

CORRECT ANSWER IS: alarm

2737. QUESTION: Farah is worried that her 12-year-old son might begin smoking because many of his classmates do. According to the text, Farah can most effectively help her son not begin smoking by

A. telling him about the danger of smoking
B. telling him that if he begins smoking she will withhold his allowance
C. using role-playing to teach him refusal techniques to concentrate peer pressure to smoke
D. insisting that he should not associate with anyone who smokes

CORRECT ANSWER IS: using role-playing to teach him refusal techniques to concentrate peer pressure to smoke

2738. QUESTION: Researchers refer to individuals who are very time-conscious, super-motivated verbally aggressive, and easily angered as

A. ulcer-prone personalities
B. cancer-prone personalities
C. type A
D. type B

CORRECT ANSWER IS: type A

2739. QUESTION: Stress-resistant individuals differ from their counterparts on which of the following dimensions?

A. social and work involvement
B. where they were in their family birth order
C. intelligence

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D. creativity

CORRECT ANSWER IS: social and work involvement

2740. QUESTION: Nia wants to eat dessert every night but she does not want to gain weight. She will probably experience the frustration of a/an _____ conflict

A. approach - approach
B. avoidance - approach
C. approach - avoidance
D. multiple approach - avoidance

CORRECT ANSWER IS: approach - avoidance

2741. QUESTION: An involuntary response to stress has just occurred involving the digestive and the circulatory systems. Emphasis would center on which of the following pars of the autonomic nervous system?

A. central NS
B. peripheral NS
C. sympathetic NS
D. parasympathetic NS

CORRECT ANSWER IS: sympathetic NS

2742. QUESTION: Relaxation is the most effective technique for preventing

A. alcoholism
B. a stressful environment
C. smoking
D. a repeat heart attack

CORRECT ANSWER IS: a repeat heart attack

2743. QUESTION: Sources of frustration include

A. environment lacks
B. environmental obstacles

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C. incompatible motives
D. all of these

CORRECT ANSWER IS: all of these

2744. QUESTION: It is the type of conflict an individual is confronted with the wo equally positive or desirable motives, but is forced to make a choice

A. double approach conflict
B. double avoidance conflict
C. approach avoidance conflict
D. double approach-avoidance conflict

CORRECT ANSWER IS: double approach conflict

2745. QUESTION: The general adaptation syndrome can lead to bodily damage when

A. psychosomatic diseases fail to protect one from stress
B. adaptive physiological responses fail
C. one is unable to reduce stress which results in chronic bodily arousal
D. the resistance stages sets in

CORRECT ANSWER IS: one is unable to reduce stress which results in chronic bodily arousal

2746. QUESTION: You have just transferred to a new campus and find yourself in a potentially stressful environment. According to the text, which of the following would help you cope with the stress?

A. believing that you have some control over your environment
B. being able to predict when stressful; events will occur
C. feeling optimistic that your will eventually adjust to your new surroundings
D. all of the above would help

CORRECT ANSWER IS: all of the above would help

2747. QUESTION: Which of the following was offered in the text as a reason people continue to smoke?

A. social pressure from peers is strong

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B. cigarettes serve as powerful reinforces
C. regular use of nicotine impairs the brain's ability to produce neurotransmitters such as serotonin
D. most adults who smoke don?t really want to quit

CORRECT ANSWER IS: cigarettes serve as powerful reinforces

2748. QUESTION: The kind of conflict experienced by a student who simultaneously wants to watch a movie at late night on television and to get a good night's sleep is best described as

A. approach - avoidance
B. double approach-avoidance
C. approach - approach
D. avoidance - avoidance

CORRECT ANSWER IS: approach - approach

2749. QUESTION: Social support _____ our ability to cope with stressful events

A. has no effect on
B. usually increases
C. usually decreases
D. has an unpredictable effect on

CORRECT ANSWER IS: usually increases

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2750. QUESTION: Approach-avoidance conflicts are difficult to resolve because

A. the positive and negative aspect of a situation are equally strong
B. a single goal possesses both positive and negative aspects
C. one must choose the lesser of two evils
D. they produce cognitive dissonance

CORRECT ANSWER IS: a single goal possesses both positive and negative aspects

2751. QUESTION: Which of the following describes a conflict in which both alternatives are positive?

A. approach - approach

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B. avoidance - approach
C. approach - avoidance
D. none of these

CORRECT ANSWER IS: approach - approach

2752. QUESTION: In which motivational conflicts one must choose between "the lesser of two evils"?

A. approach - approach
B. approach - avoidance
C. avoidance - avoidance
D. multiple approach - avoidance

CORRECT ANSWER IS: avoidance - avoidance

2753. QUESTION: Jamila is an easygoing, noncompetitive person who is happy in her job and enjoys her leisure time. She would probably be classified as

A. type A
B. type B
C. type C
D. atherosclerotic

CORRECT ANSWER IS: type B

2754. QUESTION: How many stages are there in the general adaptation syndrome?

A. 2
B. 3
C. 4
D. 5

CORRECT ANSWER IS: 3

2755. QUESTION: The field of health psychology is concerned with

A. the prevention of illness

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B. the promotion of health
C. the treatment of illness
D. all of the above

CORRECT ANSWER IS: all of the above

2756. QUESTION: Which of the following improves worker skills and reduces frustration and stress?

A. job training
B. job analysis
C. access to an employee assistance program
D. an organizational culture

CORRECT ANSWER IS: job training

2757. QUESTION: Ahmad wants to play cricket for the university of Punjab when he grows up. However, current predictions of his height indicate that he will be only about five feet eight inches tall. This situation is an example of

A. environmental frustration
B. personal frustration
C. approach - avoidance conflict
D. approach - approach conflict

CORRECT ANSWER IS: personal frustration

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2758. QUESTION: Which of the following is central to the stress response?

A. DNA
B. CABA
C. ACTH
D. NMR

CORRECT ANSWER IS: ACTH

2759. QUESTION: Which of the following responses is not likely to be the result of stress?

A. aggression

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B. anxiety
C. physical illness
D. increased optimism

CORRECT ANSWER IS: increased optimism

2760. QUESTION: Type B personalities

A. are opposite personalities
B. are less likely to react negatively to stress
C. never feel stressed
D. are likely to react negatively to stress

CORRECT ANSWER IS: are less likely to react negatively to stress

2761. QUESTION: "Out of the frying pan and into the fire" is a clich? which refers to a/an _____ conflict

A. approach - approach
B. avoidance - approach
C. avoidance - avoidance
D. multiple approach - avoidance

CORRECT ANSWER IS: avoidance - avoidance

2762. QUESTION: Which of the following relaxation techniques is designed to calm the emotions?

A. meditation
B. progressive muscle relaxation
C. time management
D. abnormal breathing

CORRECT ANSWER IS: abnormal breathing

2763. QUESTION: Which of the following is not considered one of the sources of stress?

A. aggression
B. frustration

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C. life events
D. conflicts

CORRECT ANSWER IS: aggression

2764. QUESTION: Which of the following is true?

A. about 400,000 deaths per year can be traced to tobacco use
B. alcohol kills more people than tobacco
C. more people die from traffic accidents than from sexual behaviors
D. the leading cause of death among Americans aged 25-44 is traffic accidents

CORRECT ANSWER IS: about 400,000 deaths per year can be traced to tobacco use

2765. QUESTION: Research suggests that _____ influences often lead a person to start smoking, whereas _____ influences become important in explaining why people continue to smoke

A. biological; social
B. social; biological
C. biological; cognitive
D. cognitive; biological

CORRECT ANSWER IS: social; biological

2766. QUESTION: Which of the following reactions or responses to stress would be considered maladaptive?

A. relaxation
B. cognitive reappraisal
C. aggression
D. exercise

CORRECT ANSWER IS: aggression

2767. QUESTION: One approach that seems to be effective in getting adolescents to refrain from smoking does so by emphasizing

A. long-term benefits of not smoking

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B. potential harm of lifelong smoking
C. short-term benefits of not smoking
D. scare tactics showing individuals with cancer

CORRECT ANSWER IS: short-term benefits of not smoking

2768. QUESTION: Withdrawal reactions do not include which of the following elements?

A. repression
B. fantasy
C. regression
D. paranoia

CORRECT ANSWER IS: paranoia

2769. QUESTION: A researcher is interested in the relationship between political affiliation and eye color. Therefore, she seeks people whether they belong to Pakistan People's Party, Pakistan Muslim League or Tehreek-e-Insaaf and what their eye color is - blue, brown, green, black or other. This appropriate statistical test would be a/an

A. t-test
B. ANOVA
C. chi-square
D. ANCOVA

CORRECT ANSWER IS: chi-square

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2770. QUESTION: Each score in a distribution has been increased by 7 (i.e., 7 has been added to every score). What happens to the standard deviation?

A. it increases by 7
B. it increased by 14
C. it increases by 3.5
D. it remains unchanged from its original value

CORRECT ANSWER IS: it remains unchanged from its original value

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2771. QUESTION: Graphically presented material in which a bar represents the number of cases in an interval of measurement is a/an

A. polygon
B. histogram
C. bar diagram
D. cumulative frequency

CORRECT ANSWER IS: histogram

2772. QUESTION: The symmetrical bell-shaped figure used to represent the distribution of many physical and psychological characteristics is called a

A. bar graph
B. normal curve
C. percentile rank
D. scatterplot

CORRECT ANSWER IS: normal curve

2773. QUESTION: Suppose you have hypothesized a strong relationship between hours of television, watching and grade-point average, name that as the amount of time spent watching television increases. GPA decreases sharply. Which of the following correlation coefficients would best support your hypothesis?

A. 0.2
B. -0.4
C. 0.9
D. -0.8

CORRECT ANSWER IS: -0.8

2774. QUESTION: Correlation coefficient may range in value from ___ to ___

A. 0 to 2
B. -1 to +1
C. 0 to +1
D. -1 to 0

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: -1 to +1

2775. QUESTION: A z score of 0.6 would mean that the test score

A. was above the mean
B. was below the mean
C. was equal to the mean
D. could have been above or below the mean, the z score gives no indication of that

CORRECT ANSWER IS: was above the mean

2776. QUESTION: Distribution with extreme values at one end are said to be

A. positively skewed
B. negatively skewed
C. skewed
D. histograms

CORRECT ANSWER IS: skewed

2777. QUESTION: Assuming that the experimenter can somehow obtain the data in a single test session with one score for each subject, she should use

A. a two-factor factorial design
B. a three-factor factorial design
C. a t-test for related measures
D. a t-test for unrelated measures

CORRECT ANSWER IS: a three-factor factorial design

2778. QUESTION: If a set of standardized test scores is normally distributed, having a mean of 50 and a standard deviation of 10, approximately 68 percent of the group members receive scores somewhere between

A. 50 and 60
B. 45 and 55
C. 40 and 60
D. 35 and 65

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: 40 and 60

2779. QUESTION: A graphical representation of correlational data is called a

A. chi-square
B. scatter-Piot
C. bimodal distribution
D. skewed distribution

CORRECT ANSWER IS: bimodal distribution

2780. QUESTION: A table that divides the entire range of possible scores into equal intervals and indicates the number of scores occurring in each interval is called a

A. normal distribution
B. frequency distribution
C. rank ordering
D. unimodal distribution

CORRECT ANSWER IS: frequency distribution

2781. QUESTION: If shoe size and IQ are negatively correlated, which of the following is true?

A. people with large feet tend to have high IQ
B. people with small feet tend to have high IQ
C. people with small feet tend to have low IQ
D. IQ is unpredictable based on a person's shoe size

CORRECT ANSWER IS: people with small feet tend to have high IQ

2782. QUESTION: Recognizing the difficulty of control in experimental designs, in which of the following could you be assured that variability among subjects has been adequately controlled?

A. test-retest design
B. 2*2*2 factorial design
C. point-biserial correlation

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D. completely randomized design

CORRECT ANSWER IS: test-retest design

2783. QUESTION: Given a sample of data that is homogeneous, you can expect the standard deviation to be

A. large
B. small if the sample size is small
C. small
D. large if the sample size is large

CORRECT ANSWER IS: small

2784. QUESTION: Each of the following is true about z-score except

A. the mean of a distribution of z-score is 0
B. the standard deviation of a distribution of z-score is 1
C. about 96% of score fall between z-score of -2 and z-score of +2
D. there is no correlation between z-score and T-score

CORRECT ANSWER IS: there is no correlation between z-score and T-score

2785. QUESTION: Which of the following provides a statistical measure of the direction and extent of relationship between two variables?

A. correlation coefficient
B. standard deviation
C. normal distribution
D. percentile rank

CORRECT ANSWER IS: correlation coefficient

2786. QUESTION: In a normal distribution, most scores are concentrated

A. near the top of the distribution (where scores are higher)
B. near the bottom of the distribution (where scores are lower)
C. near the center of the distribution

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D. either a or b, depending on the particular variable

CORRECT ANSWER IS: near the center of the distribution

2787. QUESTION: Which one of the following elements would invariably be present in the Type-I error?

A. two-tailed test
B. rejection of a null hypothesis
C. one-tailed test
D. acceptance of null hypothesis

CORRECT ANSWER IS: rejection of a null hypothesis

2788. QUESTION: Which of the following best describes the alternative hypothesis?

A. the hypothesis that there is no effect
B. the hypothesis that there is only one effect
C. the hypothesis that there are two effects
D. the null hypothesis is false

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the null hypothesis is false

2789. QUESTION: What is the median of the following distribution of scores; 1, 3, 7, 7, 2, 8, 4 ?

A. 2
B. 3
C. 4
D. 7

CORRECT ANSWER IS: 4

2790. QUESTION: A pollster wishes to know if there is any significant association between political affiliations and favorite sports teams. Which statistic should be employed to decide this question?

A. correlation coefficient
B. chi-square
C. independent -subjects t

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D. within subject t

CORRECT ANSWER IS: chi-square

2791. QUESTION: Which of the following correlation coefficients expresses the weakest degree of relationship between two variables?

A. -0.12
B. 1
C. -0.99
D. 0.25

CORRECT ANSWER IS: -0.12

2792. QUESTION: The results of most psychological tests from a _____ distribution if the tests are given to a sufficiently large group of people

A. positively skewed
B. negatively skewed
C. bimodal
D. normal

CORRECT ANSWER IS: normal

2793. QUESTION: A test score that has not been converted into a form permitting comparison with scores from other tests is known as a

A. percentile score
B. raw score
C. z-score
D. quartile score

CORRECT ANSWER IS: raw score

2794. QUESTION: The man of the squared differences from the mean of the distribution is a definition of the

A. z-score

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B. mode
C. variance
D. median

CORRECT ANSWER IS: variance

2795. QUESTION: What is the mode of the given distribution; 8, 2, 1, 2, 3, 7, 6, 2, 0, 2 ?

A. 1
B. 2
C. 3
D. 7

CORRECT ANSWER IS: 2

2796. QUESTION: Two hundred undergraduates were asked to choose their favorite vegetable from a list of 20 vegetables. What kind of data would be gathered in this study?

A. ordinal
B. rational
C. interval
D. nominal

CORRECT ANSWER IS: nominal

2797. QUESTION: If person with low scores on one variable also have low scores on another variable, the two variables are

A. positively correlated
B. negatively correlated
C. perfectly correlated
D. not correlated

CORRECT ANSWER IS: positively correlated

2798. QUESTION: The most frequently occurring score or range of scores in a frequency distribution is called the

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A. mean
B. median
C. mode
D. variance

CORRECT ANSWER IS: mode

2799. QUESTION: A frequency distribution that has two distinct concentrations of score is

A. negatively skewed
B. positively skewed
C. bimedial
D. bimodal

CORRECT ANSWER IS: bimodal

2800. QUESTION: In a positively skewed distribution, the median is

A. larger than the mode
B. larger than the mean
C. equal to the mean
D. negatively skewed

CORRECT ANSWER IS: larger than the mode

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2801. QUESTION: Which of the following statistics must fall on or between -1.00 and +1.00?

A. the mean
B. the standard deviation
C. the correlation coefficient
D. none of these

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the correlation coefficient

2802. QUESTION: If a distribution has relatively low variability, which of the following is true?

A. the variance will be relatively large

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B. the mean will be relatively low
C. the distribution will be skewed
D. the standard deviating will be relatively low

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the standard deviating will be relatively low

2803. QUESTION: Which of the following is not a measure of central tendency?

A. mean
B. range
C. median
D. mode

CORRECT ANSWER IS: range

2804. QUESTION: If person with high scores on one variable are equally likely to have either high or low scores on a second variable, the two variables are

A. positively correlated
B. negatively correlated
C. perfectly correlated
D. not correlated

CORRECT ANSWER IS: not correlated

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2805. QUESTION: Measures of dispersion tells us about

A. central value
B. average of data
C. spread of scores in the data
D. one forth value

CORRECT ANSWER IS: spread of scores in the data

2806. QUESTION: In the negatively skewed distribution the

A. mean is lower than the median

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B. mode is lower than the median
C. median and the mean are equal
D. median and the mode are equal

CORRECT ANSWER IS: mean is lower than the median

2807. QUESTION: An example of ordinal data would be

A. lining up a gym class from shortest to tallest
B. measuring the exact weights of the students in a gym class
C. measuring the pulse of students before and after strenuous physical activity
D. measuring the time of day when students perform best on a given task

CORRECT ANSWER IS: lining up a gym class from shortest to tallest

2808. QUESTION: The normal curves is a _____ distribution

A. bimodal
B. unimodal
C. positively skewed
D. negatively skewed

CORRECT ANSWER IS: unimodal

2809. QUESTION: Which of the following is the measure of central tendency that would be most affected by a few extreme scores?

A. mean
B. median
C. range
D. mode

CORRECT ANSWER IS: mean

2810. QUESTION: If we determine the heights and weights of a group of college men, the data generated is

A. random

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B. continuous
C. discrete
D. normal

CORRECT ANSWER IS: continuous

2811. QUESTION: The arithmetic average of a set of scores is

A. the mean
B. the standard deviation
C. the median
D. the correlation coefficient

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the mean

2812. QUESTION: Galton introduced the idea of

A. mean
B. standard deviation
C. correlation
D. median

CORRECT ANSWER IS: correlation

2813. QUESTION: Suppose you are told that two conditions in an experiment differ at the .05 level of significance What does this imply?

A. the difference can be generalized to 5% of the population
B. the difference is not very reliable
C. the difference is probably correlational, not casual
D. the difference occurs by chance only % of the time

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the difference occurs by chance only % of the time

2814. QUESTION: A frequently distribution in which the spread of scores above the mode is greater than that below is referred to as

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A. bimodal
B. positively skewed
C. negatively skewed
D. normal

CORRECT ANSWER IS: positively skewed

2815. QUESTION: If there is no relationship between two set of scores, the coefficient of correlation equals

A. 0
B. -1
C. 1
D. 0.5

CORRECT ANSWER IS: 0

2816. QUESTION: The probability that the null hypothesis will be rejected when it is in fact true is called a/an

A. type II error
B. type I error
C. two-hailed test
D. experimental error

CORRECT ANSWER IS: type I error

2817. QUESTION: The highest percentile rank in a distribution

A. depends on the size of the distribution
B. well equal 50, since this is the midpoint
C. will equal 100
D. will equal 99

CORRECT ANSWER IS: will equal 99

2818. QUESTION: Knowledge that two people obtained test scores of 85 in an introductory psychology class is

A. sufficient to determine their test performance

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B. meaningless without knowledge of the mean
C. meaningless without knowledge of both the mean and the standard deviation
D. meaningless without knowledge of the distribution skew

CORRECT ANSWER IS: meaningless without knowledge of both the mean and the standard deviation

2819. QUESTION: Which of the following would be of primary importance in determining the accuracy of inferences being made about a population?

A. size of the population
B. sample variance
C. sample mean
D. sample representativeness

CORRECT ANSWER IS: sample representativeness

2820. QUESTION: When scores are ranked from highest to lowest, the middle score is

A. the mean
B. the standard deviation
C. the median
D. the correlation coefficient

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the median

2821. QUESTION: The middle score in a set of ranked scores is

A. the mean
B. the median
C. the mode
D. none of these

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the median

2822. QUESTION: The first step in constructing a bar graph is to create a

A. standard deviation

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B. data table
C. correlation coefficient
D. range

CORRECT ANSWER IS: data table

2823. QUESTION: A "positively skewed" distribution is

A. a distribution that has a few extremely high values
B. a distribution that has few extremely low values
C. a first distribution, with a wide dispersion of values
D. a distribution that is very peaked and leptokurtic

CORRECT ANSWER IS: a distribution that has a few extremely high values

2824. QUESTION: Coping behavior is

A. often unconscious
B. a form of habitual behavior
C. always goal-directed
D. usually carried out casually

CORRECT ANSWER IS: always goal-directed

2825. QUESTION: Which scores falls at the 50th percentile of a distribution?

A. mean
B. median
C. mode
D. standard deviation

CORRECT ANSWER IS: median

2826. QUESTION: Which one of the following is central to a frequency polygon?

A. scatter-gram
B. points connected by lines

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C. flow chart
D. histogram

CORRECT ANSWER IS: points connected by lines

2827. QUESTION: The mean and the median are both

A. measures of the central tendency of a set of numbers
B. measures of the variability of a set of numbers
C. measures of the correlations between two variables
D. examples of inferential statistics

CORRECT ANSWER IS: measures of the central tendency of a set of numbers

2828. QUESTION: In the set of scores 4, 5, 7, 9, 11, 12 and 18 the median is

A. 6
B. 7
C. 8
D. 9

CORRECT ANSWER IS: 9

2829. QUESTION: A few extremes scores in a distribution will effect

A. the value of the median more than that of the mean
B. the value of mean more than that of the median
C. the value of the mean and median equally
D. the value of the mode more than that of the median

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the value of mean more than that of the median

2830. QUESTION: Which of the following sets of scores best fits the definition of a normal distribution?

A. 1, 2, 4, 8, 16, 32
B. 2, 2, 2, 2, 2, 2
C. 1, 2, 3, 4, 4, 4, 5, 6, 7

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D. 2, 8, 10, 18, 35

CORRECT ANSWER IS: 1, 2, 3, 4, 4, 4, 5, 6, 7

2831. QUESTION: Sources of frustration contains

A. environmental lacks
B. environmental obstacles
C. incompatible motives
D. all of the above

CORRECT ANSWER IS: all of the above

2832. QUESTION: Standard error is the

A. standard deviation of a distribution of population means
B. standard deviation of a distribution of sample means
C. variance of distribution of population means
D. variance of a distribution of sample means

CORRECT ANSWER IS: standard deviation of a distribution of sample means

2833. QUESTION: The standard deviation is a measure of

A. central tendency
B. correlation
C. variability
D. bias

CORRECT ANSWER IS: variability

2834. QUESTION: Another name for the arithmetic average of a set of scores is the

A. mean
B. median
C. mode
D. standard deviation

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: mean

2835. QUESTION: A psychologist wants to determine whether one group of 15 year old girls' IQ scores differs significantly from that of a second group of 15 year old girls. He would use

A. a t-test for sample and population means
B. a t-test for two independent means
C. chi-square
D. a factorial design

CORRECT ANSWER IS: a t-test for two independent means

2836. QUESTION: This is not a measure of central tendency

A. mean
B. median
C. mode
D. standard deviation

CORRECT ANSWER IS: standard deviation

2837. QUESTION: When you read a bar graph, it is most important for you to

A. understand the concept of regression toward the mean
B. mentally transform the data into a scatterplot
C. identify the value of the standard deviation
D. note the range and size of the scale values

CORRECT ANSWER IS: note the range and size of the scale values

2838. QUESTION: A research design has more then two groups. A/an _____ will be an appropriate test of statistical significance

A. analysis of variance
B. t-test
C. z-test

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D. none of these

CORRECT ANSWER IS: analysis of variance

2839. QUESTION: If a researcher calculated a correlation coefficient of r = 1.27 between two variables, you would conclude that there is a/an

A. high correlation
B. error in the calculation
C. very low correlation
D. moderately low positive correlation

CORRECT ANSWER IS: error in the calculation

2840. QUESTION: Which of the following takes into account the difference between each individual score and the mean, and combines those differences to produce a single measure of variability?

A. median
B. correlation coefficient
C. standard deviation
D. mode

CORRECT ANSWER IS: standard deviation

2841. QUESTION: The percentile rank of Musa's mathematics test score was 19. This indicates that Musa

A. answered 19 percent of the test items correctly
B. answered 81 percent of the test items correctly
C. performed better than 19 percent of those who took the test
D. performed better than 81 percent of those who took the test

CORRECT ANSWER IS: performed better than 19 percent of those who took the test

2842. QUESTION: A psychologist wants to study how IQ, age and sex affect reading speeD. The subjects will be equal numbers of males and females, age thirty or sixty and either have an IQ of 100 or of 120. The statistical design for this study is

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A. eight factor
B. six factor
C. two factor
D. three factor

CORRECT ANSWER IS: three factor

2843. QUESTION: In a normal distribution, if you know the mean score you now

A. the median and the mode
B. the median but not the mode
C. the mode but not the median
D. neither the median nor the mode

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the median and the mode

2844. QUESTION: Average is referred to as measures of

A. variability
B. correlation
C. reliability
D. central tendency

CORRECT ANSWER IS: central tendency

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2845. QUESTION: In studying the relationship between test frequency and content mastery, a researcher finds a correlation of +1.20. On the basis of this finding, he can conclude that there is

A. strong positive correlation
B. strong negative correlation
C. low positive correlation
D. a computational error

CORRECT ANSWER IS: a computational error

2846. QUESTION: The greater of the average difference between each score and the mean, the greater the

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A. statistical significance
B. correlation
C. reliability
D. standard deviation

CORRECT ANSWER IS: standard deviation

2847. QUESTION: The most frequently occurring score in a distribution of scores is the

A. mode
B. median
C. standard deviation
D. mean

CORRECT ANSWER IS: mode

2848. QUESTION: In a positively skewed distribution, which of the following gives the correct relative sequence from left to right of central tendency measures?

A. mean, median, mode
B. mode, median, mean
C. mean, median and mode are all at the same point
D. median, mode, mean

CORRECT ANSWER IS: mode, median, mean

2849. QUESTION: The most straightforward way to see how one person compares to others on a given measure is to determine the person's

A. percentile rank
B. mean
C. standard deviation
D. correlation coefficient

CORRECT ANSWER IS: percentile rank

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2850. QUESTION: Which of the following is the most widely accepted significance level for demonstrating significance in experimental results?

A. 0.5
B. 0.05
C. 0.55
D. 5

CORRECT ANSWER IS: 0.05

2851. QUESTION: Shorter people usually (but not always) weigh less than taller people. Which of the following correlation coefficients between height and weight could describe this relationship?

A. -1
B. -0.8
C. 0.8
D. 1

CORRECT ANSWER IS: 0.8

2852. QUESTION: A distribution can have more than one

A. mean
B. median
C. mode
D. none of these

CORRECT ANSWER IS: mode

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2853. QUESTION: Ghazala has six cousins aged 5, 6, 6, 7, 8 and 16. The mean age of her cousins is

A. 6
B. 6.5
C. 7
D. 8

CORRECT ANSWER IS: 8

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2854. QUESTION: What is the value of median for the numbers: 34, 29, 26, 37, 31 & 34?

A. 31
B. 34
C. 32.5
D. 30.1

CORRECT ANSWER IS: 32.5

2855. QUESTION: The percentage of scores that are equal to or lower than a given score is the _____ of that score

A. correlation coefficient
B. median
C. standardized score
D. percentile rank

CORRECT ANSWER IS: percentile rank

2856. QUESTION: Which of the following measures is most sensitive to outlying observation?

A. mean
B. median
C. mode
D. variance

CORRECT ANSWER IS: mean

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2857. QUESTION: Which of the following correlation coefficients would indicate the weakest correlation?

A. 0
B. 0.2
C. 0.5
D. -0.4

CORRECT ANSWER IS: 0

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2858. QUESTION: Given a grouping of data that is heterogeneous, you can expect a standard deviation to be

A. small
B. small if sample size is small
C. large
D. large only if sample size is large

CORRECT ANSWER IS: large

2859. QUESTION: The median of a distribution of scores is the

A. most frequently occurring score
B. difference between the highest and lowest scores
C. arithmetic average of all the scores
D. scores exceeded by 50 percent of all the scores

CORRECT ANSWER IS: scores exceeded by 50 percent of all the scores

2860. QUESTION: If you have a percentile rank of 88 on a measure, then

A. you have gotten 88 percent of the items on that measure correct
B. 88 percent of the whole set of scores on that measures are at or below your own
C. you have scored above the median on that measure
D. both b and c

CORRECT ANSWER IS: both b and c

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2861. QUESTION: When the difference between two means is shown to be significant?

A. the null hypothesis is rejected
B. the null hypothesis is disapproved
C. the alternative hypothesis is disapproved
D. the independent variable is proved

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the null hypothesis is rejected

2862. QUESTION: A correlation coefficient of -0.9 would indicate

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A. no correlation
B. a weak correlation
C. a moderate correlation
D. a strong correlation

CORRECT ANSWER IS: a strong correlation

2863. QUESTION: To convert a standard deviation into a variance, one must

A. take the square root of the standard deviation
B. divide the standard deviation by N
C. multiply the standard deviation by N
D. square the standard deviation

CORRECT ANSWER IS: square the standard deviation

2864. QUESTION: The difference between the highest and lowest scores in a distribution is the

A. mean
B. range
C. median
D. percentile rank

CORRECT ANSWER IS: range

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2865. QUESTION: For simple testing of differences between the means of an experimental and a control group, a researcher would be likely to use

A. chi-square
B. f-test
C. t-test
D. correlation

CORRECT ANSWER IS: t-test

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2866. QUESTION: If 70% of the variance found in the scores in a population are attributable to genetic factors, than the heritability index would be

A. 0.3
B. 0.03
C. 0.07
D. 0.7

CORRECT ANSWER IS: 0.7

2867. QUESTION: A z score is a form of

A. percentile rank
B. standardized score
C. standard deviation
D. correlation coefficient

CORRECT ANSWER IS: standardized score

2868. QUESTION: Correlations are variably in psychology

A. because they improve our ability to make prediction
B. because they tell us which variable is cause and which is effect
C. because both a and b are true
D. for none of the above reasons

CORRECT ANSWER IS: because they improve our ability to make prediction

2869. QUESTION: The simplest, least sophisticated measure of variability is known as the

A. range
B. variance
C. correlation
D. mean

CORRECT ANSWER IS: range

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2870. QUESTION: Systematic desensitization is a form of therapy most closely associated with the work of

A. Joseph Wolpe
B. Carl Rogers
C. Albert Ellis
D. Jacob Moreno

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Joseph Wolpe

2871. QUESTION: A psychologist who assesses the effects of noise levels in a factory and the incidence of accidents is probably a/an _____ psychologist

A. psychoanalytic
B. social
C. industrial
D. commercial

CORRECT ANSWER IS: industrial

2872. QUESTION: According to Freud, resolution of the Oedipal complex

A. has no analogous process in girls
B. depends on the antipathy of the child towards the father
C. is a sign of emergent genital sexuality
D. is marked by a sublimation of libidinal energy

CORRECT ANSWER IS: is marked by a sublimation of libidinal energy

2873. QUESTION: The primary problem encountered in treating drug addicts, alcoholics and sociopaths is

A. their preference for their present life style
B. the expense of therapy
C. the fact that more want help than can be treated
D. the side effects of aversive conditioning

CORRECT ANSWER IS: their preference for their present life style

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2874. QUESTION: Which of the following would most accurately describe the delusional situation in which a person believes others are talking about him/her?

A. delusions of sin and guilt
B. hypochondriacally delusions
C. delusions of grandeur
D. delusions of reference

CORRECT ANSWER IS: delusions of reference

2875. QUESTION: The primary feature od catatonic schizophrenia is

A. motor abnormalities
B. auditory hallucination
C. inappropriate effect
D. paranoia

CORRECT ANSWER IS: motor abnormalities

2876. QUESTION: Transference and resistance are most common in

A. psychoanalysis
B. group therapy
C. behavior therapy
D. client-centered therapy

CORRECT ANSWER IS: psychoanalysis

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2877. QUESTION: In psychiatric team, which one of the following would be the exclusive responsibility of the psychiatrist?

A. behavior modification
B. electroconclusive shock therapy
C. psychodiagnosis
D. group therapy

CORRECT ANSWER IS: electroconclusive shock therapy

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2878. QUESTION: According to Carl Rogers, the goal of therapy is to achieve

A. self actualization
B. internal locus of control
C. congruence
D. self-satisfaction

CORRECT ANSWER IS: congruence

2879. QUESTION: Disturbances in nerve tracts for certain neurotransmitters have been linked with various psychiatric disorders and degenerative diseases. Which of the following pairing is not correct?

A. Dopamine and schizophrenia
B. Serotonin and mania
C. GABA and Parkinson's disease
D. Nor-epinephrine and depression

CORRECT ANSWER IS: GABA and Parkinson's disease

2880. QUESTION: The man went off on a fishing trip and lost all his memory of who he was. Years later his original family, who had presumed him dead, read a newspaper article about a citizen award he had received in another community. This is a case of

A. fugue
B. identity disorder
C. amnesia
D. personality disorder

CORRECT ANSWER IS: fugue

2881. QUESTION: The technique used to extinguish fear by forcing the patient to remain in the anxiety arousing situation is called

A. inhibition
B. flooding
C. desensitization
D. implosion

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: flooding

2882. QUESTION: Elevators seem to "close in" and small rooms create feelings of fear that seem unbearable in

A. anxiety reaction
B. acrophobia
C. ochlophobia
D. claustrophobia

CORRECT ANSWER IS: claustrophobia

2883. QUESTION: Depression is mild and includes within it no distortions of reality in

A. sleep disorder
B. organic disorder
C. mood disorder
D. personality disorder

CORRECT ANSWER IS: mood disorder

2884. QUESTION: Axis II of the DSM-IV TR is used for

A. clinical disorders and other conditions
B. personality disorders and mental retardation
C. general medicine conditions
D. global assessment of functioning

CORRECT ANSWER IS: personality disorders and mental retardation

2885. QUESTION: Which of the following techniques places the greatest emphasis upon the goal of making a client aware of the totality of his behavior?

A. implosive therapy
B. logotherapy
C. Gestalt therapy
D. ego analysis

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: Gestalt therapy

2886. QUESTION: Dysthymic disorder are

A. mood disorders
B. sexual disorders
C. somatoform disorder
D. schizophrenic disorder

CORRECT ANSWER IS: mood disorders

2887. QUESTION: The client-centered therapy of Carl Rogers differs from Freudian therapy most substantially is that the Rogerian therapist

A. refers to the patient as a "client"
B. does not emphasize tracing the development of her client's personality from its earliest beginnings
C. is more directive
D. does not attempt to be as observant as a psychoanalyst

CORRECT ANSWER IS: does not emphasize tracing the development of her client's personality from its earliest beginnings

2888. QUESTION: DSM-IV is organized along _____ axes

A. 2
B. 3
C. 4
D. 5

CORRECT ANSWER IS: 5

2889. QUESTION: A person is completely unresponsive, stares blankly into space, and never move. He shows symptoms related to

A. paranoia
B. schizoaffective

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C. catatonic schizophrenia
D. residual type schizophrenia

CORRECT ANSWER IS: catatonic schizophrenia

2890. QUESTION: Which of the following personality disorders is associated with a positive pattern of detachment from social relationships and a restricted range of emotional expression?

A. schizoid
B. narcissistic
C. histrionic
D. antisocial

CORRECT ANSWER IS: schizoid

2891. QUESTION: Which of the following is believed to have an important role in mood disorders?

A. nor-epinephrine
B. estrogen
C. progesterone
D. acetylcholine

CORRECT ANSWER IS: nor-epinephrine

2892. QUESTION: The major affective disorders are characterized by

A. extreme and inappropriate emotional responses
B. with drawl and emotional distortion
C. severe depression
D. chronic experience of depression

CORRECT ANSWER IS: extreme and inappropriate emotional responses

2893. QUESTION: The wife of Mr. A, an extremely hard-working man with a stressful occupation, reports to the police that he has been missing for two days. Investigation reveals that Mr. A is now living in a different city under a new name and cannot recall his former identity. Mr. A is most likely suffering from

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A. dissociative fugue
B. identity disorder
C. dysthymic disorder
D. obsessive-compulsive disorder

CORRECT ANSWER IS: dissociative fugue

2894. QUESTION: Current trends in mental health do not include

A. steeped up emphasis on outpatient care
B. greater emphasis on community mental health centers
C. construction of larger share hospitals
D. group therapy

CORRECT ANSWER IS: construction of larger share hospitals

2895. QUESTION: Javaid is dreadfully fearful of heights. His fear is formally describes as

A. acrophobia
B. agoraphobia
C. claustrophobia
D. mysophobia

CORRECT ANSWER IS: acrophobia

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2896. QUESTION: A key component of paranoia is usually

A. an organized delusional system with jealous content
B. the presence of tactile hallucinations
C. the experiencing of vivid auditory hallucination
D. the presence of a dual personality

CORRECT ANSWER IS: an organized delusional system with jealous content

2897. QUESTION: Which of the following is not an example of primary prevention of mental illness:

A. perinatal health care

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B. Narcotics Anonymous
C. genetic screening
D. drug abuse resistance education

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Narcotics Anonymous

2898. QUESTION: In Bandura's behavioral psychotherapy, a withdrawn child in a kindergarten room would be reinforced for

A. remaining alone
B. joining the group
C. drawing a picture
D. writing his name

CORRECT ANSWER IS: joining the group

2899. QUESTION: Emotional problems are treated through role-playing technique in

A. psychodrama
B. client-centered therapy
C. implosive therapy
D. logotherapy

CORRECT ANSWER IS: psychodrama

2900. QUESTION: Which of the following concepts is least directly related to psychotherapeutic technique?

A. implosion
B. systematic desensitization
C. retroactive inhibition
D. flooding

CORRECT ANSWER IS: retroactive inhibition

2901. QUESTION: "It treats symptoms rather than cause!" This is a criticism commonly leveled at

A. psychoanalysis

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B. implosive therapy
C. behavioral therapy
D. transactional analysis

CORRECT ANSWER IS: behavioral therapy

2902. QUESTION: Modeling is a technique used in

A. behavior therapy
B. client-centered therapy
C. rational-emotive therapy
D. psychoanalysis

CORRECT ANSWER IS: behavior therapy

2903. QUESTION: Which of the following is not categorized as a dissociative disorder according to the DSM IV TR?

A. amnesia
B. obsessive-compulsive disorder
C. fugue
D. identity disorder

CORRECT ANSWER IS: obsessive-compulsive disorder

2904. QUESTION: DSM's axis II encompasses _____ personality disorders

A. borderline
B. narcissistic
C. avoidant
D. all of the above

CORRECT ANSWER IS: all of the above

2905. QUESTION: In which of the following would spontaneous recovery be most likely?

A. paranoid state
B. narcissistic personality disorder

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C. stuttering
D. antisocial personality disorder

CORRECT ANSWER IS: paranoid state

2906. QUESTION: Researchers find the highest incidence of schizophrenia

A. between fraternal twins
B. between identical twins
C. between siblings
D. in urban areas

CORRECT ANSWER IS: between identical twins

2907. QUESTION: Phobias are usually treated most successfully through the technique of

A. psychoanalysis
B. systematic desensitization
C. transactional analysis
D. client-centered psychotherapy

CORRECT ANSWER IS: systematic desensitization

2908. QUESTION: Among first admissions to public mental hospitals, which one of the following diagnoses is most prevalent?

A. schizophrenic reaction
B. alcoholic addiction
C. somatoform disorder
D. cerebral arteriosclerosis

CORRECT ANSWER IS: schizophrenic reaction

2909. QUESTION: Choose the word that does not belong in the set

A. amnesia
B. fugue

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C. identity disorder
D. schizoaffective disorders

CORRECT ANSWER IS: schizoaffective disorders

2910. QUESTION: The primary deficit in anterograde amnesia is

A. impaired long-term learning
B. faster forgetting than normal subjects
C. a frequently reversible storage deficit
D. difficulty remembering past events

CORRECT ANSWER IS: impaired long-term learning

2911. QUESTION: Because mentally disturbed individuals were believed to be possessed by evil spirits, early treatments included

A. flogging
B. starving
C. burning
D. all of the above

CORRECT ANSWER IS: all of the above

2912. QUESTION: Psychodrama is a form of which of the following managerial training techniques?

A. incident
B. sensitivity
C. role playing
D. free association

CORRECT ANSWER IS: role playing

2913. QUESTION: The unconscious process most closely associated with the phenomenon of transference is

A. displacement
B. sublimation

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C. reaction-formation
D. fixation

CORRECT ANSWER IS: displacement

2914. QUESTION: A form of group therapy in which the therapist lectures and leads discussions is

A. inspirational
B. didactic
C. nondirective
D. abreaction

CORRECT ANSWER IS: didactic

2915. QUESTION: The veterans' hospital plans to implement a technique known as "flooding". Within this approach the veterans will vividly re-live and re-experience the traumatic events they went through during combat. "Flooding" would be technically described as

A. client-centered therapy
B. systematic desensitization
C. implosive therapy
D. counter-conditioning

CORRECT ANSWER IS: implosive therapy

2916. QUESTION: Albert Ellis's rational-emotive therapy (RET) is an example of

A. psychoanalytic therapy
B. humanistic therapy
C. existential therapy
D. cognitive-behavioral therapy

CORRECT ANSWER IS: cognitive-behavioral therapy

2917. QUESTION: Someone who repeatedly washes his hands even when they are not dirty may be said to be suffering from

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A. a conversion reaction
B. an obsession
C. a compulsion
D. a phobia

CORRECT ANSWER IS: a compulsion

2918. QUESTION: Within the current diagnostic system (DSM-IV), posttraumatic stress Disorder (PTSD) is classified as a/an _____ disorder

A. mood
B. anxiety
C. delusional
D. dissociative

CORRECT ANSWER IS: anxiety

2919. QUESTION: In contrast to bulimia, anorexia is characterized by

A. binge-eating
B. a fear of gaining weight
C. repeated purging
D. a refusal to maintain a minimal normal body weight

CORRECT ANSWER IS: a refusal to maintain a minimal normal body weight

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2920. QUESTION: The least likely treatment procedure, virtually extinct in today's psychiatric facilities, is

A. electroconclusive shock therapy
B. chemotherapy
C. individual psychotherapy
D. prefrontal lobotomy

CORRECT ANSWER IS: prefrontal lobotomy

2921. QUESTION: Long-term follow-up studies of patients treated through behavior modification technique indicate

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A. high rates of relapse among practically all patients
B. high rates of relapse among neurotic patients
C. high rates of relapse among hypochondriacally patient
D. few relapses

CORRECT ANSWER IS: few relapses

2922. QUESTION: Which form of schizophrenia contains delusions of grandeur of persecution?

A. residual
B. disorganized
C. catatonic
D. paranoid

CORRECT ANSWER IS: paranoid

2923. QUESTION: A therapist feels she can no longer treat a hypochondriacally patient because the secondary gain is too great to overcome. This means that

A. the symptom is reducing the tension or conflict
B. the advantages derived from the illness outweigh the discomfort created by the illness
C. the ongoing mentation is directly to the id and characteristic of unconscious mental activity
D. the ongoing mentation is primarily related to the functions of the ego and preconscious thought

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the advantages derived from the illness outweigh the discomfort created by the illness

2924. QUESTION: When we speak of "Down syndrome" or some other syndrome, the term refers to

A. a substance-related disorder
B. a teratogenic disorder
C. a state of mental confusion
D. a set of symptoms generally occurring together

CORRECT ANSWER IS: a set of symptoms generally occurring together

2925. QUESTION: The behavioral modification technique that uses repeated exposure to aversive stimuli or distributing scenes to extinguish the emotional responses associated with those stimuli is

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A. systematic desensitization
B. implosive therapy
C. reciprocal inhibition
D. token economy system

CORRECT ANSWER IS: implosive therapy

2926. QUESTION: Which of these illnesses is related to abnormality in the dopaminergic system?

A. schizophrenia only
B. Parkinson's disease only
C. Alzheimer's disease only
D. Parkinson's disease and schizophrenia

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Parkinson's disease and schizophrenia

2927. QUESTION: A therapeutic technique present in the work of Wolpe and not evident within Skinner's method is

A. positive reinforcement
B. negative reinforcement
C. discriminative stimulus
D. logo-therapy

CORRECT ANSWER IS: negative reinforcement

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2928. QUESTION: A person expressing functional blindness could be experiencing a/an

A. dissociative disorder
B. somatoform disorder
C. anxiety disorder
D. cyclothymic disorder

CORRECT ANSWER IS: somatoform disorder

2929. QUESTION: Which of the following could lead to psychopathology?

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A. fear of failure
B. self-actualization
C. self-confidence
D. self-direction

CORRECT ANSWER IS: fear of failure

2930. QUESTION: All of the following terms are associated with client-centered therapy except

A. empathy
B. unconditioned positive regard
C. will to power
D. positive, trusting environment

CORRECT ANSWER IS: will to power

2931. QUESTION: According to cross-cultural studies, the incidence of schizophrenia is most prevalent within the _____ classes

A. upper
B. upper-middle
C. lower
D. lower-middle

CORRECT ANSWER IS: lower

2932. QUESTION: Psychodrama, a form of group therapy in which participants act out their feelings as if they were actors, was introduced by

A. Frankl
B. Jung
C. Erikson
D. Moreno

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Moreno

2933. QUESTION: When neurotransmitter is inhibitory?

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A. epinephrine and nor-epinephrine
B. dopamine
C. serotonin
D. GABA

CORRECT ANSWER IS: GABA

2934. QUESTION: Transvestism would be classified among

A. sexual and gender identity disorders
B. anxiety disorders
C. personality disorders
D. somatoform disorders

CORRECT ANSWER IS: sexual and gender identity disorders

2935. QUESTION: Make pair as, Repression : suppression

A. classical : instrumental
B. fixation : regression
C. involuntary : voluntary
D. frustration : conflict

CORRECT ANSWER IS: involuntary : voluntary

2936. QUESTION: A man was picked up by the police 100 miles from his home, reporting to be someone other than who his identification nameD. A mental-status examination showed him to be quite confuseD. The most likely diagnosis would be

A. catatonic schizophrenia
B. identity disorder
C. psychogenetic amnesia
D. psychogenic fugue

CORRECT ANSWER IS: psychogenic fugue

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2937. QUESTION: The detective was in constant danger. One day his head was slightly creased by a bullet, and he indicated immediately afterward that he was blinD. Hospital observation indicated no physiological cause for the blindness. This is a cause of

A. paranoid-type schizophrenia
B. obsessive-compulsive disorder
C. conversion disorder
D. anxiety disorder

CORRECT ANSWER IS: conversion disorder

2938. QUESTION: Sleep walking and talking

A. occur primarily during the dreaming periods
B. signify hypnagnic activity
C. correlate strongly with the incidence of alexia
D. occur for more frequently among women than among men

CORRECT ANSWER IS: occur for more frequently among women than among men

2939. QUESTION: A key feature of the DSM-IV TR is its

A. focus on the etiology of mental disorders
B. multiaxial system of assessment
C. focus on theoretical issues
D. behaviorist outlook

CORRECT ANSWER IS: multiaxial system of assessment

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2940. QUESTION: Sixteen different, self-contained personalities within the same individual, manifesting themselves at different times, is a form of

A. anxiety disorder
B. catatonic schizophrenia
C. dysthymic disorder
D. dissociative disorder

CORRECT ANSWER IS: dissociative disorder

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2941. QUESTION: Which of the following is the most common disorder?

A. somatoform disorder
B. dissociative disorder
C. anxiety disorder
D. personality disorder

CORRECT ANSWER IS: anxiety disorder

2942. QUESTION: Which of the following is a negative symptom of schizophrenia?

A. perceptual hallucination
B. delusions
C. flat affect
D. disorganized speech

CORRECT ANSWER IS: flat affect

2943. QUESTION: A genetic defect known as Kleinfelter's syndrome typically produces a tall, thin, sterile male with underdeveloped testes and breast development. This sex chromosome make up is

A. XXY
B. XY
C. XX
D. XYY

CORRECT ANSWER IS: XXY

2944. QUESTION: Enuresis (bed wetting)

A. has a poor prognosis
B. is most common among adults
C. is more common among women than men
D. can result from faulty parental discipline

CORRECT ANSWER IS: can result from faulty parental discipline

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2945. QUESTION: The most severe forms of mental retardation tend to be associated with

A. low socioeconomic status
B. physiological damage to the brain
C. malnutrition
D. cultural-familial retardation

CORRECT ANSWER IS: physiological damage to the brain

2946. QUESTION: Research indicates the Alzheimer's disease may be related to deficiency in

A. dopamine
B. serotonin
C. acetylcholine
D. epinephrine

CORRECT ANSWER IS: epinephrine

2947. QUESTION: Which of the following distinguishes anxiety from fear?

A. realistic environmental danger
B. strength of emotion
C. galvanic skin response
D. blood pressure

CORRECT ANSWER IS: realistic environmental danger

2948. QUESTION: Given limited funds and a limited time period, which of the following methods might be recommended for dealing with a phobic reaction?

A. psychoanalysis
B. transcendental meditation
C. systematic desensitization
D. logo-therapy

CORRECT ANSWER IS: systematic desensitization

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2949. QUESTION: Which of the following is not a technique used in Freudian therapy?

A. free association
B. free recall
C. dream interpretation
D. analysis of transference

CORRECT ANSWER IS: free recall

2950. QUESTION: Phenylketonuria or PKU refers to a/an

A. neurotransmitter
B. severe from of mental retardation
C. inner ear membrane
D. part of the eye

CORRECT ANSWER IS: severe from of mental retardation

2951. QUESTION: Free association is the cornerstone of the _____ approach to therapy?

A. humanistic
B. psychoanalytic
C. neurobiological
D. behavioristic

CORRECT ANSWER IS: psychoanalytic

2952. QUESTION: Which of the following statements about neurosis is true?

A. it is not a category of mental disorder in the DSM-IV TR
B. the term was originally coined by Emil Kraepelin
C. general paresis is a type of neurosis
D. ECT was originally used by Von Meduna to treat neurosis

CORRECT ANSWER IS: it is not a category of mental disorder in the DSM-IV TR

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2953. QUESTION: Aman walking to work counts the cracks in the sidewalk. Although he is almost to his office, he fears that he has miscounted and so returns to the wagon terminal to begin counting again. This behavior is known as

A. schizophrenic reaction
B. sociopathic disorder
C. conversion disorder
D. obsessive-compulsive disorder

CORRECT ANSWER IS: obsessive-compulsive disorder

2954. QUESTION: The learned helplessness theory of depression has been the work of

A. Rotter
B. Seligman
C. Maslow
D. Bandura

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Seligman

2955. QUESTION: The term reaction formation is most likely to be encountered in description of

A. group therapy
B. behavior modification
C. psychoanalysis
D. psychodrama

CORRECT ANSWER IS: psychoanalysis

2956. QUESTION: A characteristic of schizophrenia is

A. heightened awareness of reality
B. eidetic imagery
C. withdrawal from interpersonal relationships
D. psychological "paralysis" in a portion of the body

CORRECT ANSWER IS: withdrawal from interpersonal relationships

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2957. QUESTION: The psychoanalyst becomes the recipient of affection that the patient felt earlier in her life toward her father in

A. transference
B. connotation
C. reaction-formation
D. Oedipus complex

CORRECT ANSWER IS: transference

2958. QUESTION: A man comes to a clinic complaining of persistent worrisome thoughts and nervousness that interfere with his work, the condition is known as

A. dissociative disorders
B. generalized anxiety disorders
C. schizophrenic disorders
D. obsessive compulsive disorders

CORRECT ANSWER IS: generalized anxiety disorders

2959. QUESTION: DSM-IV refers to

A. Drug and Shock for Mental depression, 4th ed.
B. Developmental and Social Manual of Mental Development, 4th ed.
C. Diagnostic and Statistical Manual of Mental Disorder, 4th ed.
D. Diagnostic and Schematic Manual of Mental Deficiencies, 4th ed.

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Diagnostic and Statistical Manual of Mental Disorder, 4th ed.

2960. QUESTION: Aversion therapy would be used for which of the following problems?

A. alcoholism
B. paranoia
C. anxiety
D. phobias

CORRECT ANSWER IS: alcoholism

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2961. QUESTION: In a psychoanalytic case study, Tayyab criticizes his brother Sami's tendency to steal things when in fact Tayyab, not Sami, has been caught shoplifting on several occasions. According to psychoanalytic theory, Tayyab is most likely displaying which of the following defense mechanisms?

A. repression
B. compensation
C. rationalization
D. projection

CORRECT ANSWER IS: projection

2962. QUESTION: Freud first became familiar with the concept of "talking cure" through an association with

A. Charcot
B. Breuer
C. Bennett
D. Selye

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Breuer

2963. QUESTION: Intense fear of open places is known as

A. ochlophobia
B. acrophobia
C. claustrophobia
D. agoraphobia

CORRECT ANSWER IS: agoraphobia

2964. QUESTION: The fundamental rule of psychoanalysis is that the patient is to say whatever comes into her mind, no matter how embarrassing or trivial it might appears to be. This best describes

A. transference
B. counter-transference
C. free association
D. projection

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: free association

2965. QUESTION: Which of the following does not express a dissociative disorder?

A. identity disorder
B. fugue
C. somatoform
D. depersonalization

CORRECT ANSWER IS: somatoform

2966. QUESTION: Using the dynamic model of psychopathology, the theoretical cause of emotional disturbance would be

A. faulty learning
B. lack of responsibility
C. faulty morality
D. unconscious conflicts

CORRECT ANSWER IS: unconscious conflicts

2967. QUESTION: Delusions are major symptoms of

A. somatoform disorders
B. personality disorders
C. substance related disorders
D. schizophrenic disorders

CORRECT ANSWER IS: schizophrenic disorders

2968. QUESTION: The person smokes a cigarette and because of earlier drug administration, becomes nauseous in a technique known as

A. chaining
B. extinction
C. aversive conditioning

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D. reciprocal inhibition

CORRECT ANSWER IS: aversive conditioning

2969. QUESTION: Solomon Asch conducted a classic experiment in which he asked a group of college students to decide which one of three lines was equal in length to a standard line. What was Asch studying?

A. the mere exposure effect
B. conformity
C. social facilitation
D. reference groups

CORRECT ANSWER IS: conformity

2970. QUESTION: Which of the following is not one of the categories of dissociative disorders according to DSM IV?

A. psychogenic amnesia
B. identity disorder
C. catatonic schizophrenia
D. psychogenic fugue

CORRECT ANSWER IS: catatonic schizophrenia

2971. QUESTION: The only illness that electroconclusive therapy (shock treatments) has been successful in treating is

A. compulsive gambling
B. depression
C. mania
D. schizophrenia

CORRECT ANSWER IS: depression

2972. QUESTION: Tahir is taking a prescribed drug, Thorazine (chlorpromazine). From your knowledge of medical treatments you conclude that he needed an _____ medication

A. anti-depressant
B. anti-manic

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C. anti-anxiety
D. anti-psychotic

CORRECT ANSWER IS: anti-psychotic

2973. QUESTION: Which of the following constitutes a distinction between conversion disorder and hypochondriasis disorder?

A. detectable physiological symptoms
B. learning disability
C. brain damage
D. delusions

CORRECT ANSWER IS: detectable physiological symptoms

2974. QUESTION: The term psychosomatic refers to

A. the imagined discomforts of hypochondriacs
B. the unique symptoms displayed by psychotics
C. a continuous emergency reaction and the resulting tissue damage
D. a physical disorder complicated by a neurosis

CORRECT ANSWER IS: a continuous emergency reaction and the resulting tissue damage

2975. QUESTION: Parkinson's disease is a gradual degeneration of a particular path of

A. serotonin-containing axons
B. dopamine-containing axons
C. motor neuron
D. acetylcholine-containing axon

CORRECT ANSWER IS: dopamine-containing axons

2976. QUESTION: Which type of drug is indicated for the treatment of depression?

A. Thorazine
B. Tricyclics

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C. Haldol
D. chlorpromazine

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Tricyclics

2977. QUESTION: In the history of mental health movement, which of the following has a major impact in changing the way emotionally disturbed people were treated?

A. Hippocrates
B. Beers
C. Pinel
D. all of the above

CORRECT ANSWER IS: all of the above

2978. QUESTION: Client-centered therapy is the cornerstone of the _____ approach to therapy

A. behavioral
B. cognitive
C. humanistic
D. psychoanalysis

CORRECT ANSWER IS: humanistic

2979. QUESTION: Enhancing the action of dopamine receptors has what effect on schizophrenic symptoms? Blocking these receptors has what effect on schizophrenic symptoms?

A. increases/increases
B. decreases/decreases
C. increases/decreases
D. decreases/increases

CORRECT ANSWER IS: increases/decreases

2980. QUESTION: Among the following, the most serious phase of alcoholism is

A. crucial

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B. occasional
C. chronic
D. critical

CORRECT ANSWER IS: chronic

2981. QUESTION: All of the following are psychosomatic disorders except

A. hypertension
B. gastrointestinal disorder
C. paranoia
D. migraines

CORRECT ANSWER IS: paranoia

2982. QUESTION: Which of the following drugs would most likely to be used to treat an acute schizophrenic episode?

A. Diphenylhydantoin
B. MAO inhibitor
C. chlorpromazine
D. Diazepam

CORRECT ANSWER IS: chlorpromazine

2983. QUESTION: A therapist listens to the choices of his client with unconditional positive regarD. The goal of this therapy is most likely

A. a sense of meaningfulness
B. congruence for the self
C. decreased inferiority
D. development of effective beliefs

CORRECT ANSWER IS: congruence for the self

2984. QUESTION: The most radical form of therapy ever provided for people

A. systematic desensitization

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B. client-centered therapy
C. psychosurgery
D. primal scream therapy

CORRECT ANSWER IS: psychosurgery

2985. QUESTION: Early fears are to enzyme deficiency as _____ is to _____

A. sociogenic, androgenic
B. psychogenic, somatogenic
C. behavioristic, perceptual
D. psychoanalytic, behavioral

CORRECT ANSWER IS: psychogenic, somatogenic

2986. QUESTION: Within the current classification system (DSM-IV), hypochondriasis would be considered what type of disorder?

A. psychosexual
B. dissociative
C. affective
D. somatoform

CORRECT ANSWER IS: somatoform

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2987. QUESTION: In children, the presence of bizarre and repetitive activities, a fascination with unusual objects, and on obsession with maintaining the sameness of their environment are signs of

A. hyperactivity
B. obsessive-compulsive disorder
C. autism
D. mania

CORRECT ANSWER IS: autism

2988. QUESTION: In electroconvulsive shock therapy

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A. a muscle relaxant is used to reduce the dangers of the seizure
B. the resultant seizure lasts for five to ten minutes
C. consciousness is retained throughout
D. LSD is often administered

CORRECT ANSWER IS: a muscle relaxant is used to reduce the dangers of the seizure

2989. QUESTION: Which of the following is a natural "painkiller"?

A. GABA
B. Dopamine
C. Prozac
D. Endorphins

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Endorphins

2990. QUESTION: Most psychotherapists use _____ approach

A. the psychoanalytic
B. a behavioral
C. an eclectic
D. a humanistic

CORRECT ANSWER IS: an eclectic

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2991. QUESTION: Which of the following would not be categorized among personality disorders?

A. paranoid
B. schizoid
C. antisocial
D. neuroleptic

CORRECT ANSWER IS: neuroleptic

2992. QUESTION: An individual who goes "blind" suddenly yet seems unconcerned about this dramatic loss and shows no underlying organic reason for the loss is probably suffering from

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A. dissociative disorder
B. conversion disorder
C. occipital phobia
D. post-traumatic stress syndrome

CORRECT ANSWER IS: conversion disorder

2993. QUESTION: Dr. Najma is treating Farid for depression. She notes Farid's depression related behaviors and sets up a series of reinforcement schedules for change. The therapy Dr. Najma is utilizing is within the _____ model

A. cognitive
B. learning
C. medical
D. psychodynamic

CORRECT ANSWER IS: learning

2994. QUESTION: An IQ of 40 is associated with the classification known as

A. non-trainable
B. mildly retarded
C. severely retarded
D. moderately retarded

CORRECT ANSWER IS: moderately retarded

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2995. QUESTION: Washing your hands 50 times a day is an example of _____ behavior

A. obsessive
B. phobic
C. dissociative
D. compulsive

CORRECT ANSWER IS: compulsive

2996. QUESTION: The most severe forms of mental retardation are related with

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A. low socioeconomic status
B. cultural-familial retardation
C. physiological damage to the brain
D. a deprivation of environmental stimulation during infancy

CORRECT ANSWER IS: physiological damage to the brain

2997. QUESTION: Behaviorist would not consider counter-conditioning an appropriate therapeutic technique for

A. anxiety reaction
B. chronic tensions
C. Transvestism
D. phobias

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Transvestism

2998. QUESTION: A behaviorist would contend that depression is caused by

A. unconscious conflicts
B. failure to become self-actualized
C. failure to learn the proper way to behave
D. society labelling people as abnormal

CORRECT ANSWER IS: failure to learn the proper way to behave

2999. QUESTION: Global amnesia results in a striking disruption of

A. procedural memory
B. explicit memory
C. implicit memory
D. short term memory

CORRECT ANSWER IS: explicit memory

3000. QUESTION: Which of the following is not categorized as a personality disorder according to the DSM-IV?

A. narcissistic

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B. antisocial
C. impulsive
D. borderline

CORRECT ANSWER IS: impulsive

3001. QUESTION: The only type of psychotherapist that can prescribe drugs is a

A. clinical psychologist
B. psychiatric nurse
C. psychiatrist
D. psychiatric social worker

CORRECT ANSWER IS: psychiatrist

3002. QUESTION: In the DMS-IV, identity disorder is categorized as a/an

A. schizophrenic disorder
B. dissociative disorder
C. anxiety disorder
D. somatoform disorder

CORRECT ANSWER IS: dissociative disorder

3003. QUESTION: Which of the following would be considered the least important factor in a therapist's success rate?

A. personality theory orientation
B. amount of experience
C. capacity of empathy
D. genuineness

CORRECT ANSWER IS: personality theory orientation

3004. QUESTION: Which of the following is not an anxiety disorder?

A. social phobia
B. panic disorder

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C. manic depression
D. agoraphobia

CORRECT ANSWER IS: manic depression

3005. QUESTION: The terms "script and contract" are prominent within which of the following approaches?

A. psychoanalysis
B. systematic desensitization
C. implosive therapy
D. transactional analysis

CORRECT ANSWER IS: transactional analysis

3006. QUESTION: According to the DSM-IV, each of the following is a category of mental disorders except

A. substance-related disorders
B. personality disorders
C. mood disorders
D. memory disorders

CORRECT ANSWER IS: memory disorders

3007. QUESTION: A girl is desperately afraid of gaining weight, thinks that she's fat, and is actually 20% below the average weight for a woman of her height and age. Which disorder does she have?

A. encopresis
B. bulimia
C. anorexia
D. hypochondriasis

CORRECT ANSWER IS: anorexia

3008. QUESTION: Early diagnosis offers hope of avoiding the effects of

A. schizophrenia
B. senile dementia

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C. Down's syndrome
D. PKU (Phenylketonuria)

CORRECT ANSWER IS: PKU (Phenylketonuria)

3009. QUESTION: The individual is opiate-addicteD. The individual is most likely taking which of the following?

A. cocaine
B. morphine
C. clozapine
D. phenobarbital

CORRECT ANSWER IS: morphine

3010. QUESTION: Which of the following is a common symptom of anxiety disorders?

A. hallucination
B. illusion
C. delusions
D. bodily complaints

CORRECT ANSWER IS: bodily complaints

3011. QUESTION: Which of the following disorders is the modern name for hysteria?

A. Paresis
B. hypochondriasis
C. conversion disorder
D. factitious disorder

CORRECT ANSWER IS: conversion disorder

3012. QUESTION: Within DSM-IV, Huntington's disease would be categorized as which type of disorder?

A. schizophrenic
B. dissociative
C. delirium/dementia

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D. factitious

CORRECT ANSWER IS: delirium/dementia

3013. QUESTION: Which of the following is within the psychotomimetic (hallucinogens) drug classification?

A. aspirin
B. LSD
C. nicotine
D. chlorpromazine

CORRECT ANSWER IS: LSD

3014. QUESTION: A psychiatrist would include his client's Global Assessment of Functioning (GAF) in which of the following?

A. the MMPI
B. the DSM-IV
C. the Myers-Briggs
D. the Stanford-Binet

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the DSM-IV

3015. QUESTION: The true statement about neurosis is

A. it was used by Freud to indicate disorders where reality testing was impaired
B. the term was originally coined by Emil Kraepelin
C. ECT was originally used by Von Meduna to treat neurosis
D. it is not a category of mental disorder in the DSM-IV

CORRECT ANSWER IS: it is not a category of mental disorder in the DSM-IV

3016. QUESTION: Which of the following is not a characteristic of schizophrenia?

A. hallucination
B. delusions
C. aberrant speech

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D. extreme mood swings

CORRECT ANSWER IS: extreme mood swings

3017. QUESTION: Lovaas utilizes behavior modification techniques in the treatment of

A. autism
B. aphasia
C. acute depression
D. drug addiction

CORRECT ANSWER IS: autism

3018. QUESTION: Abreaction would be most common as a result of

A. psychosurgery
B. psychotherapy
C. LSD therapy
D. electroconvulsive shock therapy

CORRECT ANSWER IS: psychotherapy

3019. QUESTION: If psychotherapist informed persons that they had just attained high scores on the F-scale, they could accurately conclude that

A. their scores were significant beyond the 0.05 level
B. they had scored high on authoritarianism
C. there was strong likelihood that they were not very superstitious
D. they had high flexibility and openness in their attitude formation and change

CORRECT ANSWER IS: they had scored high on authoritarianism

3020. QUESTION: Albert Ellis's rational-emotive therapy is an example of

A. psychoanalytic therapy
B. humanistic therapy
C. existential therapy

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D. cognitive-behavioral therapy

CORRECT ANSWER IS: cognitive-behavioral therapy

3021. QUESTION: The APA was founded by

A. John Watson
B. William James
C. Stanley Hall
D. Wilhelm Wundt

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Stanley Hall

3022. QUESTION: Which of the following concepts are most closely related?

A. thought disorder - schizophrenia
B. identity disorder - schizophrenia
C. hallucination - depression
D. amnesia - catatonic

CORRECT ANSWER IS: thought disorder - schizophrenia

3023. QUESTION: Dorothea Dix is most noted as

A. an important precursor to psychoanalysis
B. an early follower of Jean Charcot
C. the founder of structuralism
D. an important 19th century crusader for the improvement of mental hospitals

CORRECT ANSWER IS: an important 19th century crusader for the improvement of mental hospitals

3024. QUESTION: Superstitious would be most evident within which of the following personality terms?

A. phototoxic
B. intuiting mode
C. syntaxic
D. parataxic

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: parataxic

3025. QUESTION: Sofia is suffering from depression. She most likely is taking which of the following

A. Haldol
B. Zoloft
C. Risperdal
D. Thorazine

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Zoloft

3026. QUESTION: Which of the following distinguishes a sedative from a tranquilizer?

A. drowsiness inducing characteristics
B. speed with which it takes effect
C. anxiety reducing capacity
D. mood elevation properties

CORRECT ANSWER IS: drowsiness inducing characteristics

3027. QUESTION: Schizophrenia was formerly known as

A. Huntington's disease
B. dementia praecox
C. Pick's disease
D. cretinism

CORRECT ANSWER IS: dementia praecox

3028. QUESTION: Suppose that a housewife comes to a therapist complaining of extreme fear about leaving her home. Base on this information, what would the therapist's preliminary diagnosis be?

A. free floating anxiety
B. agoraphobia
C. social phobia
D. depression

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: agoraphobia

3029. QUESTION: The hypothesis that mood disorder is caused by an interaction between a genetic disturbance and separation from loved ones would be most relevant to which of the following?

A. psychoanalysis
B. behaviorism
C. diathesis-stress
D. humanism

CORRECT ANSWER IS: diathesis-stress

3030. QUESTION: This person is taking Librium (chlordiazepoxide). The disorder being treated is most likely _____ related.

A. depression
B. manic
C. anxiety
D. psychotic

CORRECT ANSWER IS: anxiety

3031. QUESTION: A tranquilizer widely used in the treatment of schizophrenia is

A. d - tubocurarine
B. chlorpromazine
C. LSD
D. mescaline

CORRECT ANSWER IS: chlorpromazine

3032. QUESTION: Bi-polar disorders are

A. mood related
B. anxiety related
C. delusional

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D. substance related

CORRECT ANSWER IS: mood related

3033. QUESTION: Which of the following personality disorders is characterized by excessive emotion and attention seeking?

A. histrionic
B. antisocial
C. dependent
D. schizotypal

CORRECT ANSWER IS: histrionic

3034. QUESTION: Lithium salts have been found to be an effective treatment for

A. Tourette's syndrome
B. Down's syndrome
C. bipolar disorder
D. schizophrenia

CORRECT ANSWER IS: bipolar disorder

3035. QUESTION: Which of the following concepts are most closely related?

A. client centered therapy - psychoanalysis
B. aversion therapy - insight therapy
C. implosion - catharsis
D. token economy - positive reinforcement

CORRECT ANSWER IS: token economy - positive reinforcement

3036. QUESTION: Bipolar disorder is

A. a severe form of disorder
B. best treated by Valium
C. characterized by episodes of depression and mania

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D. a most recent term for cyclothymic disorder

CORRECT ANSWER IS: characterized by episodes of depression and mania

3037. QUESTION: Which of the following drug classifications would include cocaine?

A. stimulants
B. sedative-hypnotics
C. antipsychotic agents
D. opiates

CORRECT ANSWER IS: stimulants

3038. QUESTION: As you were walking down the hall, three people standing there were talking about you. You are sure of it.

A. schizophrenic
B. delusional
C. dissociative
D. somatoform

CORRECT ANSWER IS: delusional

3039. QUESTION: An individual with Korsakoff's syndrome might engage in

A. neologisms
B. echolalia
C. echopraxia
D. confabulations

CORRECT ANSWER IS: confabulations

3040. QUESTION: Behavior therapy would be most useful in treating

A. a childhood disorder
B. paranoid schizophrenia
C. depression

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D. Tardive dyskinesia

CORRECT ANSWER IS: a childhood disorder

3041. QUESTION: For unknown reasons some mental patients improve without receiving any treatment. This is called a _____ effect

A. placebo
B. spontaneous recovery
C. self-fulfilling prophecy
D. halo

CORRECT ANSWER IS: spontaneous recovery

3042. QUESTION: The effect of psychotomimetic drugs resemble which one of the following reactions?

A. depressive
B. hypermanic
C. schizophrenic
D. delirium

CORRECT ANSWER IS: schizophrenic

3043. QUESTION: A 17-year-old subject with a family history of schizophrenia exhibited no symptoms of schizophrenia prior to the death of his mother. Soon after his mother's death, psychotic symptoms begin to appear and he is diagnosed with schizophreniA. This scenario is most consistent with which of the following?

A. Dopamine hypothesis
B. Diathesis-stress model
C. Weber's law
D. Yerkes-Dodson law

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Diathesis-stress model

3044. QUESTION: Frotteurism is a disorder that involves

A. acute depression

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B. cyclothymia
C. rubbing against
D. pyromania

CORRECT ANSWER IS: rubbing against

3045. QUESTION: They are serotonin reuptake blockers, a "second generation" of drugs to treat

A. anxiety disorders
B. somatoform disorders
C. mood disorders
D. sleep disorder

CORRECT ANSWER IS: mood disorders

3046. QUESTION: Which of the following is one of the sixteen major diagnostic categories used in the DSM-IV?

A. borderline disorder
B. paranoid disorder
C. factitious disorder
D. obsessive compulsive disorder

CORRECT ANSWER IS: factitious disorder

3047. QUESTION: Which of the following therapies would be most appropriate for an individual who suffered from strong feelings of meaninglessness and who hoped to find more meaning in life?

A. client-centered therapy
B. Psychoanalytic therapy
C. existential therapy
D. Individual therapy

CORRECT ANSWER IS: existential therapy

3048. QUESTION: According to DSM-IV, all mental disorders are characterized by either distress or _____

A. depression

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B. anxiety
C. hallucination
D. disability

CORRECT ANSWER IS: disability

3049. QUESTION: Haroon has been diagnosed as schizophreniC. Which of the following most likely will be prescribed for him to take?

A. haloperidol
B. amphetamines
C. atropine
D. mescaline

CORRECT ANSWER IS: haloperidol

3050. QUESTION: Electroconclusive shock therapy (ECT) has been found to be an effective intervention for

A. eating disorders
B. anxiety disorders
C. schizophrenia
D. severe depression

CORRECT ANSWER IS: severe depression

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3051. QUESTION: You strike someone without provocation. You misbehave the police officer to his face. All of these are symptomatic of

A. somatoform
B. eating disorder
C. impulse control disorders
D. mood disorders

CORRECT ANSWER IS: impulse control disorders

3052. QUESTION: Which of the following has not been used in the treatment of alcoholism?

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A. hospital setting
B. chlorpromazine
C. synanon
D. family support

CORRECT ANSWER IS: synanon

3053. QUESTION: Sonia has experienced feelings of worthlessness, low energy, and a loss of interest in life for most of the days of the past three years. She would most likely be diagnosed with

A. major depressive disorder
B. dysthymic disorder
C. severe melancholia
D. existential neurosis

CORRECT ANSWER IS: dysthymic disorder

3054. QUESTION: Suppose a 18-year old boy has been repeatedly suspended from school, frequently fights his peers, cannot keep a job, and several times has stolen money from his parents. How would a psychologist probably label him

A. manic disorder
B. juvenile delinquent
C. schizoid personality type
D. antisocial personality disorder

CORRECT ANSWER IS: antisocial personality disorder

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3055. QUESTION: Benzodiazepines work to relieve anxiety by enhancing the effects of

A. GABA
B. glutamate
C. serotonin
D. Endorphins

CORRECT ANSWER IS: GABA

3056. QUESTION: The moron-imbecile-idiot classification of the mentally retarded was changed because

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A. the categories were not sufficiently inclusive
B. infortune stereotyped had occurred
C. five categories were needed instead of three
D. four categories were needed instead of three

CORRECT ANSWER IS: infortune stereotyped had occurred

3057. QUESTION: Sobia lacks any affection or interpersonal blonds. She's highly manipulative without guilt. Her symptoms are consistent with those of _____ personality disorder.

A. dependent
B. antisocial
C. paranoid
D. histrionic

CORRECT ANSWER IS: antisocial

3058. QUESTION: A patient is given a diagnosis of social phobia after an intake evaluation. The most likely presenting complaint was fear of

A. closed spaces
B. high places
C. going crazy
D. being embarrassed or scrutinized by others

CORRECT ANSWER IS: being embarrassed or scrutinized by others

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3059. QUESTION: Which one of the following disorders is most likely to lead a person to cover a sizable amount of geographical territory?

A. amnesia
B. dysthymia
C. fugue
D. anxiety

CORRECT ANSWER IS: fugue

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3060. QUESTION: The DSM-IV presents a scheme for assessment called multiaxial assessment. It is called multiaxial because it employs five different axes for evaluation in order to create a complete picture of the client. Which of the following is not one of the five axes used?

A. general medical conditions
B. clinical disorder
C. dreams
D. personality disorders

CORRECT ANSWER IS: dreams

3061. QUESTION: The man who inadvertently discovered hypnotism and tried to make a living from it was

A. Benjamin Spock
B. Anton Mesmer
C. Fritz Perls
D. Sigmund Freud

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Anton Mesmer

3062. QUESTION: Which of the following is not a dissociative disorder?

A. amnesia
B. Schizophrenia
C. identity disorder
D. Fugue

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Schizophrenia

3063. QUESTION: "Cannabis sativa" is most commonly known as

A. LSD
B. heroin
C. opium
D. marijuana

CORRECT ANSWER IS: marijuana

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3064. QUESTION: Which of the following treatment modalities would be most useful in enhancing the skills of patients with severe mental retardation?

A. token economy
B. psychoanalysis
C. cognitive therapy
D. systematic desensitization

CORRECT ANSWER IS: token economy

3065. QUESTION: "What is your finger doing now? What is your hand doing now?" With this focus on bodily movements as expressions of one's feelings, you would expect to be seated in the presence of a ____ therapist

A. behavior
B. cognitive
C. Gestalt
D. psychodynamic

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Gestalt

3066. QUESTION: A therapeutic technique in which the patient enacts a life situation or experience demonstrating his conflict is called

A. psychodrama
B. socio-drama
C. release therapy
D. nondirective therapy

CORRECT ANSWER IS: psychodrama

3067. QUESTION: Long-term use of a dopamine-blocking neuroleptic would probably improve the condition of

A. tardive dyskinesia
B. Parkinson's disease
C. schizophrenia
D. Wernicke's syndrome

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: schizophrenia

3068. QUESTION: Relaxation followed by successive approximation to objects formerly feared is

A. aversive conditioning
B. fear conditioning
C. implosive therapy
D. systematic desensitization

CORRECT ANSWER IS: systematic desensitization

3069. QUESTION: Establishing a fear hierarchy list is the first step in

A. psychoanalysis
B. client-centered therapy
C. rational-emotive therapy
D. systematic desensitization therapy

CORRECT ANSWER IS: systematic desensitization therapy

3070. QUESTION: The negative symptom of schizophrenia is

A. Delusions
B. Flat effect
C. Hallucinations
D. Neologisms

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Flat effect

3071. QUESTION: Behavior therapists believe that insight is

A. non sufficient for behavior change
B. not necessary for behavior change
C. a worthwhile goal
D. all of these

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: non sufficient for behavior change

3072. QUESTION: Axis III in DSM IV addresses

A. the major abnormal disorder
B. primary personality disorder
C. physical disorder
D. none of these

CORRECT ANSWER IS: none of these

3073. QUESTION: Psycho dynamic therapists believe that maladaptive behavior stems from

A. disturbed though patterns
B. inappropriate learning pattern
C. emotional trauma experienced in childhood
D. a failure to live up to one's full potential

CORRECT ANSWER IS: emotional trauma experienced in childhood

3074. QUESTION: Agoraphobia is an abnormal fear of

A. heights
B. darkness
C. public places
D. enclosed spaces

CORRECT ANSWER IS: public places

3075. QUESTION: A bipolar disorder is most likely to be characterized by

A. a massive dissociation of self from ordinary consciousness
B. the simultaneous experience of delusions of persecution and delusions of grandeur
C. offensive and unwanted thoughts that persistently preoccupy a person
D. alternations between extreme hopelessness and unrealistic optimism

CORRECT ANSWER IS: alternations between extreme hopelessness and unrealistic optimism

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3076. QUESTION: The suggested cause of abnormal behavior, from the cognitive perspective is

A. faulty learning
B. early childhood experiences
C. faulty thinking
D. unconscious, unresolved conflicts

CORRECT ANSWER IS: faulty thinking

3077. QUESTION: Prior to his use of free association, Freud had encouraged patients to retrieve their forgotten memories by means of

A. hypnosis
B. projective tests
C. psychoactive drugs
D. systematic desensitization

CORRECT ANSWER IS: hypnosis

3078. QUESTION: Anxiety disorders may be characterized by

A. psychotic symptoms
B. telegraphic thoughts
C. somatic symptoms
D. none of these

CORRECT ANSWER IS: none of these

3079. QUESTION: Client-centered therapy is most consistent with the

A. behaviorist approach
B. cognitive approach
C. psycho dynamic approach
D. humanistic approach

CORRECT ANSWER IS: humanistic approach

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3080. QUESTION: Mrs. Nadeem is alarmed by her own persistent and irrational thoughts of murdering her young children. Her experience best illustrates the agitating effects of a/an

A. delusion
B. phobia
C. obsession
D. hallucination

CORRECT ANSWER IS: obsession

3081. QUESTION: An individual who is identified as having a borderline personality disorder shows

A. persecutory thoughts
B. exhibitionistic tendencies
C. instability in mood and social relations
D. apathy and indifference to opinions of others

CORRECT ANSWER IS: instability in mood and social relations

3082. QUESTION: A condition in which an individual is overexcited, hyperactive, and wildly optimistic is known as

A. fugue
B. paranoia
C. mania
D. panic attack

CORRECT ANSWER IS: mania

3083. QUESTION: The most frequently occurring major psychological disorder is

A. phobia
B. schizophrenia
C. depression
D. bipolar

CORRECT ANSWER IS: depression

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3084. QUESTION: When the therapist encouraged Zafar to talk about his resentment toward his wife. Zafar quickly changed the subject by telling a joke. To a psychoanalyst, Zafar's behavior illustrate

A. resistance
B. transference
C. fixation
D. free association

CORRECT ANSWER IS: resistance

3085. QUESTION: A therapist who encourages clients to relate their dreams and searches its root is

A. psychoanalysis
B. humanistic therapy
C. person-centered therapy
D. cognitive therapy

CORRECT ANSWER IS: psychoanalysis

3086. QUESTION: Illness that seems to result from an interaction of physical and psychological factors are called

A. depression
B. psychosomatic
C. conversion disorder
D. phobia

CORRECT ANSWER IS: psychosomatic

3087. QUESTION: Two explicitly directive psychotherapeutic approaches are

A. behavior therapy and psychodynamic therapy
B. behavior therapy and humanistic therapy
C. humanistic therapy and existential therapy
D. cognitive therapy and behavior therapy

CORRECT ANSWER IS: behavior therapy and psychodynamic therapy

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3088. QUESTION: Repeatedly washing your hands is to _____ as repeatedly thinking about your own death is to _____

A. somatoform disorder; schizophrenia disorder
B. mania; depression
C. compulsion; obsession
D. phobic disorder; hypochondriasis

CORRECT ANSWER IS: compulsion; obsession

3089. QUESTION: Which of the following therapists would most likely try to understand adult's psychological disorder by exploring that person's childhood experiences?

A. a psychoanalyst
B. a behavioral therapist
C. a person-centered therapist
D. a rational-emotive therapist

CORRECT ANSWER IS: a psychoanalyst

3090. QUESTION: Person-centered therapy is best described as

A. confrontive
B. structured
C. non directive
D. objective

CORRECT ANSWER IS: non directive

3091. QUESTION: In which type of disorder is a person's speech likely to be so full of unrelated words and phrases that it could be characterized as a "word salad"?

A. schizophrenia
B. obsessive-compulsive disorder
C. hypochondriasis
D. dissociative disorder

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: schizophrenia

3092. QUESTION: The essential feature of Client-centered therapy is

A. the giving of reassurance to the client
B. the facilitating the client to arrive at his own insight about his problems
C. its emphasis upon searching for deep unconscious aspects of the problem
D. its directive character

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the facilitating the client to arrive at his own insight about his problems

3093. QUESTION: If a person washes his hands 50 times a day, the behavior will be labeled disordered because it is

A. an atypical behavior
B. unjusted and maladaptive
C. not explained by the medical model
D. harmful and disturbing to others

CORRECT ANSWER IS: unjusted and maladaptive

3094. QUESTION: Most young children are fearful of bees, even though they have never been stung by one. This best illustrates that fear

A. is a maladaptive response
B. is genetically determined
C. can be learned through observation
D. results from relative deprivation

CORRECT ANSWER IS: can be learned through observation

3095. QUESTION: Compared to psychoanalytic therapists, humanistic therapists are more likely to emphasize

A. hidden or repressed feelings
B. childhood experience
C. psychological disorders
D. self-fulfillment and growth

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: self-fulfillment and growth

3096. QUESTION: Transference refers to a client's

A. conversion of psychological conflicts into physical and behavioral disorders
B. replacement of self-centeredness with a genuine concern for others
C. expression toward a therapist of feelings linked with earlier life relationships
D. translation of threatening dream content into nonthreatening manifest symbols

CORRECT ANSWER IS: expression toward a therapist of feelings linked with earlier life relationships

3097. QUESTION: Delusions of persecution are most common among those with _____ schizophrenia

A. catatonic
B. disorganized
C. residual
D. paranoid

CORRECT ANSWER IS: paranoid

3098. QUESTION: Systematic desensitization is used in treatment of

A. schizophrenia
B. mood disorders
C. phobias
D. somatoform disorders

CORRECT ANSWER IS: phobias

3099. QUESTION: Psychodrama is one of the psychotherapeutic technique which basically involves situations representing

A. ego blocking
B. super ego blocking
C. primary ego
D. all of these

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: all of these

3100. QUESTION: Behavior therapies apply learning principles to

A. identify and treat the underlying causes of dysfunction
B. improve learning and insight
C. eliminate the unwanted behavior
D. improve communication and social sensitivity

CORRECT ANSWER IS: eliminate the unwanted behavior

3101. QUESTION: Amnesia, fugues and identity disorder involve gaps in awareness for example, sudden loss of memory or change of identify. These psychological disorders are called

A. anxiety disorder
B. dissociative disorders
C. mood disorders
D. memory disorder

CORRECT ANSWER IS: dissociative disorders

3102. QUESTION: Learning theories have suggested that obsessive-compulsive disorders are

A. habitual defenses against unconscious impulses
B. reinforced by anxiety reduction
C. classically conditioned habits
D. conditioned reactions to childhood sexual abuse

CORRECT ANSWER IS: reinforced by anxiety reduction

3103. QUESTION: Although Mrs. Rizwana usually sits passively in a motionless stupor, she sometimes repetitiously shakes her head or waves her arms. She most likely is exhibiting

A. hypochondriasis
B. a bipolar disorder
C. major depressive disorder
D. catatonic

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: catatonic

3104. QUESTION: The non-directive approach characterizes

A. psychoanalysis
B. behavior modification
C. hypnosis
D. client-centered therapy

CORRECT ANSWER IS: client-centered therapy

3105. QUESTION: Psychosomatic disorder are best illustrated by

A. asthma caused by anxiety
B. neurotic anxiety
C. insomnia
D. over-eating

CORRECT ANSWER IS: asthma caused by anxiety

3106. QUESTION: An example of cognitive therapy is rational emotive therapy, which is developed by

A. Carl Rogers
B. Joseph Wolpe
C. Albert Ellis
D. Allen Bergin

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Albert Ellis

3107. QUESTION: Psychoanalysts are most likely to view patient transference as

A. a form of therapeutic resistance
B. a helpful aid to the process of therapy
C. a sign of healthy personality development
D. evidence that no further therapy is needed

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: a helpful aid to the process of therapy

3108. QUESTION: Many of the neo-Freudians have modified Freud's original theory of personality to give more emphasis to

A. child sexuality
B. social and cultural factors
C. difference between the sexes
D. unconscious forces

CORRECT ANSWER IS: social and cultural factors

3109. QUESTION: A conversion disorder is most likely to be characterized by

A. alternations between extreme hopelessness and unrealistic optimism
B. a continuous state of tension, apprehension, and autonomic nervous system arousal
C. offensive and unwanted thoughts that persistently preoccupy a person
D. specific physical symptoms that have no apparent physiological basis

CORRECT ANSWER IS: specific physical symptoms that have no apparent physiological basis

3110. QUESTION: One of the negative symptoms of schizophrenia is

A. an expressionless face
B. loud and meaningless talking
C. inappropriate laughter
D. uncontrollable temper tantrums

CORRECT ANSWER IS: an expressionless face

3111. QUESTION: The explicit and implicit rules that a society establishes to govern conduct are referred to as

A. culture
B. norms
C. morality
D. conventions

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: norms

3112. QUESTION: The assessment tools upon which clinicians depend and gather information about their clients belong in which of the following categories?

A. interviews
B. tests
C. observations
D. all of these

CORRECT ANSWER IS: all of these

3113. QUESTION: Two years after being brutally beaten and raped, Fozia still experiences anxiety and has trouble sleeping and vivid flashbacks of her assault. Fozia is most clearly showing signs of

A. hypochondriasis
B. psycho-physiological illness
C. the general adaptation syndrome
D. post-traumatic stress disorder

CORRECT ANSWER IS: post-traumatic stress disorder

3114. QUESTION: Humanistic therapists are likely to teach clients to

A. focus more on other people's feelings than on their own
B. adapt more readily to social norms and expectations
C. imitate the behavior of others who are happy and successful
D. take more responsibility for their own feelings and actions

CORRECT ANSWER IS: take more responsibility for their own feelings and actions

3115. QUESTION: Which of the following statements applied to the unconscious?

A. its elements are inaccessible to the conscious
B. it is closely related to pleasure principle
C. it is closely related to instincts
D. all of these

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: its elements are inaccessible to the conscious

3116. QUESTION: Bipolar disorder is to mood disorders as _____ is to somatoform disorders

A. schizophrenia
B. obsessive-compulsive disorder
C. panic attack
D. conversion disorder

CORRECT ANSWER IS: conversion disorder

3117. QUESTION: The violation of a society's explicit and implicit norms can be viewed as not normal in the sense that the violation is

A. deviant
B. distressful
C. dysfunctional
D. danger to one's self or to others

CORRECT ANSWER IS: deviant

3118. QUESTION: People are more likely to recover from _____ schizophrenia than from _____ schizophrenia

A. acute, chronic
B. process, reactive
C. reactive, acute
D. chronic, process

CORRECT ANSWER IS: acute, chronic

3119. QUESTION: The best definition of psychotherapy includes

A. a sufferer, a healer and a systematic interaction between the two
B. a healer that uncovers unconscious conflicts and heals the personality
C. the removal of symptoms about which the patient complains
D. the use of taking and drugs to change behavior

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: the removal of symptoms about which the patient complains

3120. QUESTION: Psychologists are most likely to define maladaptive behavior as disordered if it is

A. unloving and prejudicial
B. biologically based and habitual
C. unconsciously motivated
D. unusual and socially unacceptable

CORRECT ANSWER IS: unusual and socially unacceptable

3121. QUESTION: Which therapeutic approach relies most heavily upon clients discovering their own way of effectively dealing with their difficulties?

A. psychoanalysis
B. rational-emotive therapy
C. systematic desensitization
D. person-centered therapy

CORRECT ANSWER IS: person-centered therapy

3122. QUESTION: Fixed false belief based on incorrect inferences about external reality is called

A. delusion
B. obsession
C. overvalued idea
D. phobia

CORRECT ANSWER IS: delusion

3123. QUESTION: Disruptions in conscious awareness and sense of identity are most characteristic of _____ disorders

A. bipolar
B. personality
C. dissociative
D. somatoform

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: dissociative

3124. QUESTION: Which aspect of the definition of abnormality includes unhappiness?

A. deviance
B. distress
C. dysfunction
D. danger to oneself or others

CORRECT ANSWER IS: distress

3125. QUESTION: Schizophrenia is associated with an excess of receptors for

A. norepinephrine
B. dopamine
C. serotonin
D. acetylcholine

CORRECT ANSWER IS: dopamine

3126. QUESTION: Therapists who focus on altering faculty though processes are

A. cognitive therapists
B. biological therapists
C. humanistic therapists
D. none of these

CORRECT ANSWER IS: cognitive therapists

3127. QUESTION: According to the medical model, psychological disorders are

A. purely imaginary symptoms of distress
B. maladaptive responses to a troubling environment
C. sicknesses that need to be diagnosed and cured
D. learned habits that need to be extinguished

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: sicknesses that need to be diagnosed and cured

3128. QUESTION: An important feature of person-centered therapy is

A. interpretation
B. transference
C. free association
D. active listening

CORRECT ANSWER IS: active listening

3129. QUESTION: A sense of being separated from your body and watching yourself with a sense of detachment is a symptom of

A. bipolar disorder
B. hypochondriasis
C. generalized anxiety
D. dissociation

CORRECT ANSWER IS: dissociation

3130. QUESTION: A simple schizophrenia is characterized by

A. an insidious loss of drive and ambition
B. persistent delusions
C. persistent hallucination
D. all of these

CORRECT ANSWER IS: an insidious loss of drive and ambition

3131. QUESTION: What model of mental illness did most people hold during the middle ages?

A. the moral model
B. the medical model
C. the psychogenic model
D. the supernatural model

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: the supernatural model

3132. QUESTION: Research on the causes of schizophrenia strongly suggests that

A. there is a genetic predisposition to schizophrenia
B. almost anybody will develop schizophrenia if exposed to extensive environmental stress
C. schizophrenia patients suffer from a deficiency of the neurotransmitter serotonin
D. all of the above

CORRECT ANSWER IS: there is a genetic predisposition to schizophrenia

3133. QUESTION: Two examples of mood disorders are

A. major depression and generalized anxiety disorder
B. obsessive compulsive disorder and manic depressive disorder
C. major depression and bipolar disorder
D. major depression and obsessive compulsive disorder

CORRECT ANSWER IS: major depression and bipolar disorder

3134. QUESTION: DSM-IV is a widely used system for

A. identifying the causes of psychological abnormality
B. distinguishing sanity from insanity
C. treating depression
D. classifying psychological disorders

CORRECT ANSWER IS: classifying psychological disorders

3135. QUESTION: Although she knew very little about her therapist, Ameena thought she was falling in love with him. A psychoanalyst would consider Ameena's feelings to be an example of

A. reaction formation
B. unconditional positive regard
C. transference
D. sublimation

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: transference

3136. QUESTION: A therapist who encourages clients to relate their dreams and searchers for the unconscious roots of their problems is drawn from

A. psychoanalysis
B. humanistic therapies
C. person-centered therapy
D. cognitive therapy

CORRECT ANSWER IS: psychoanalysis

3137. QUESTION: Psychological research on the principles of learning has most directly influenced the development of

A. biomedical therapy
B. behavior therapy
C. person-centered therapy
D. rational-emotive therapy

CORRECT ANSWER IS: behavior therapy

3138. QUESTION: Traits theory has been criticized on the ground that

A. traits may be highly dependent on the situation
B. moderator variable are often very influential
C. they often do not specify how traits are organized within the personality
D. all of these

CORRECT ANSWER IS: they often do not specify how traits are organized within the personality

3139. QUESTION: An eclectic therapist is one who

A. prescribes the use of drugs as part of psychotherapy
B. emphasized that active listening is the major technique in all effective therapies
C. prefers to engage in therapy in a group setting
D. uses a variety of psychological theories and therapeutic approaches

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: uses a variety of psychological theories and therapeutic approaches

3140. QUESTION: A type of schizophrenia characterized by hallucinations, delusions and diffuse psychological organization is referred to as

A. undifferentiated
B. disorganized
C. residual
D. fragmented

CORRECT ANSWER IS: disorganized

3141. QUESTION: In order to facilitate diagnostic reliability, the DSM-IV typically bases diagnoses on

A. chemical analyses of blood and urine samples
B. physiological measures of blood pressure, perspiration and muscle tension
C. observable patterns of behavior
D. all of these

CORRECT ANSWER IS: observable patterns of behavior

3142. QUESTION: Khalid, an airplane pilot, is unable to remember anything of a bombing raid in which his plane was severely damaged and two crew members were killeD. Khalid probably is a victim of a/an _____ disorder

A. anxiety
B. dissociative
C. conversion
D. somatoform

CORRECT ANSWER IS: dissociative

3143. QUESTION: Which of the following is not true regarding people with a mental illness?

A. they frequently are in considerable distress
B. society views such people as in need of help
C. they usually pose a danger to themselves or others
D. they usually have behavior that is in some way different

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: they frequently are in considerable distress

3144. QUESTION: Treatment programs in which alcoholic clients consume alcohol that contains a nausea-producing drug are using a technique known as

A. operant conditioning
B. free association
C. systematic desensitization
D. aversive conditioning

CORRECT ANSWER IS: aversive conditioning

3145. QUESTION: According to Erikson's theory, the struggle during adolescence is

A. intimacy vs isolation
B. initiative vs guilt
C. identity vs role confusion
D. competence vs inferiority

CORRECT ANSWER IS: identity vs role confusion

3146. QUESTION: Dr. Farooqi is a clinical psychologist who often uses operant conditioning techniques to treat her clients. She also encourages them to modify their attributional patterns, and on occasion she interprets their transference behaviors. Dr. Farooqi's therapeutic approach would best be described as

A. person-centered
B. psychoanalytic
C. behavioral
D. eclectic

CORRECT ANSWER IS: eclectic

3147. QUESTION: Which symptoms is not typically characteristic of an autistic child?

A. hyperactivity
B. impairment in communication

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C. social isolation
D. restricted range of interest

CORRECT ANSWER IS: hyperactivity

3148. QUESTION: A generalized anxiety disorder is characterized by

A. the misinterpretation of normal physical sensation as signs of a disease
B. offensive of unwanted thoughts that persistently preoccupy a person
C. a continuous state of tension, apprehension and autonomic nervous system arousal
D. hyperactive, wildly optimistic states of emotion

CORRECT ANSWER IS: a continuous state of tension, apprehension and autonomic nervous system arousal

3149. QUESTION: Phobic disorder is to anxiety disorders as fugue is to _____ disorders

A. dissociative
B. somatoform
C. mood
D. schizophrenic

CORRECT ANSWER IS: dissociative

3150. QUESTION: Dementia is a condition that is characterized by

A. general paresis
B. physical ailments
C. a general intellectual decline
D. the loss of contact with reality

CORRECT ANSWER IS: a general intellectual decline

3151. QUESTION: Whenever 2-year-old Teena runs into the street in front of her house, her mother immediately spanks her. The mother's technique most closely resembles the procedure known as

A. systematic desensitization
B. electroconclusive therapy

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C. aversive conditioning
D. transference

CORRECT ANSWER IS: aversive conditioning

3152. QUESTION: A major defining characteristic of personality disorders is that they

A. are pathological, more from society's view than from that of the persons who have them
B. reflect a lack of contact with reality
C. are comparatively easy to treat
D. are frequently reactive, i.e., short term responses to stress

CORRECT ANSWER IS: are pathological, more from society's view than from that of the persons who have them

3153. QUESTION: An approach that seeks to alleviate poverty and other stresses that put people at high risk for developing psychological disorder is

A. biomedical therapy
B. the humanistic approach
C. preventive mental health
D. empathy and active listening

CORRECT ANSWER IS: preventive mental health

3154. QUESTION: Shani, a college student, complains that he feels apprehensive and fearful most of the time but doesn't know why. Without warning, his heart begins to pound, his hands get icy, and he breaks out in a cold sweat. Shani's symptoms suggest a/an _____ disorder

A. somatoform
B. obsessive-compulsive
C. generalized anxiety
D. phobic

CORRECT ANSWER IS: generalized anxiety

3155. QUESTION: Mr. Sohail's therapist wants to help him become aware of his conflicting childhood feelings of love and hate for his parents. The therapist's goal best reflects a primary aim of

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A. person-centered therapy
B. rational-emotive therapy
C. systematic desensitization
D. psychoanalysis

CORRECT ANSWER IS: psychoanalysis

3156. QUESTION: The ancient Greek physicians characterized hysteria as

A. euphoric behavior
B. uncontrollable sobbing
C. an inability to control emotional responses
D. a physical ailment without any physical cause

CORRECT ANSWER IS: a physical ailment without any physical cause

3157. QUESTION: Rashida, a young married woman, has wandered from her home to a distant city where she has completely forgotten her family and her identity. Which term best characterizes Rashida's behavior?

A. identity disorder
B. antisocial personality
C. conversion disorder
D. fugue

CORRECT ANSWER IS: fugue

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3158. QUESTION: The behavioral interpretation of depression relates it to "learned helplessness". The major obvious symptom of this condition is

A. passivity
B. increased appetite
C. excessive counter aggressiveness when threatened
D. an increase in random maladaptive behavior

CORRECT ANSWER IS: passivity

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3159. QUESTION: An episode of intense dread, which is typically accompanied by feelings of terror and dizziness, chest pain, etc., is called

A. a social phobia
B. generalized or chronic anxiety
C. a panic attack
D. an obsessive fear

CORRECT ANSWER IS: a panic attack

3160. QUESTION: The approach that has helped retarded children learn to care for themselves involves

A. operant conditioning
B. systematic desensitization
C. family therapy
D. aversive conditioning

CORRECT ANSWER IS: operant conditioning

3161. QUESTION: Freud suggested that for those suffering a generalized anxiety disorder, the anxiety is

A. cyclical
B. free-floating
C. psychosomatic
D. completely outside of conscious awareness

CORRECT ANSWER IS: free-floating

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3162. QUESTION: A feeling of apprehension or tension is

A. frustration
B. panic
C. anxiety
D. none of these

CORRECT ANSWER IS: anxiety

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3163. QUESTION: A central therapeutic technique of psychoanalysis is

A. sublimation
B. systematic desensitization
C. free association
D. active listening

CORRECT ANSWER IS: free association

3164. QUESTION: Major depression is most likely to be characterized by

A. delusions of persecution
B. a massive dissociation of self form ordinary consciousness
C. a persistent irrational fear of other people
D. feelings of personal worthlessness

CORRECT ANSWER IS: feelings of personal worthlessness

3165. QUESTION: Norms are influenced by

A. the surrounding culture
B. the surrounding subculture
C. the context of the situation
D. none of these

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the surrounding culture

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3166. QUESTION: The most frequently cited characteristic among children with ADHD is

A. perceptual - motor impairment
B. disorder of memory and thinking
C. disorder of memory and hearing
D. hyperactivity

CORRECT ANSWER IS: hyperactivity

3167. QUESTION: A token economy represents an application of the principles of

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A. operant conditioning
B. systematic desensitization
C. humanistic therapy
D. classical conditioning

CORRECT ANSWER IS: operant conditioning

3168. QUESTION: Which of the following is characterized by a persistent, irrational fear of a specific object or situation?

A. hypochondriasis
B. conversion disorder
C. amnesia
D. phobic disorder

CORRECT ANSWER IS: phobic disorder

3169. QUESTION: Main function of stimulants are

A. to alleviate tension
B. to provide energy and alertness
C. prescribed for insomnia
D. none of these

CORRECT ANSWER IS: to provide energy and alertness

3170. QUESTION: Which therapeutic approach emphasizes that people are often disturbed because they mistakenly believe they must please everyone and be successful at everything?

A. person-centered therapy
B. operant conditioning therapy
C. systematic desensitization
D. rational-emotive therapy

CORRECT ANSWER IS: rational-emotive therapy

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3171. QUESTION: The general class of disorders in which an individual experiences bodily ailments in the absence of any physical disease that could cause them are called

A. mood disorders
B. dissociative disorders
C. somatoform disorders
D. anxiety disorders

CORRECT ANSWER IS: somatoform disorders

3172. QUESTION: Compared to a counseling psychologist, a clinical psychologist is likely to have

A. more training and involvement in research
B. more patients whose problems are not diagnosable as mental disorders
C. more training in social work
D. a degree in medicine

CORRECT ANSWER IS: more training and involvement in research

3173. QUESTION: Humanistic and cognitive therapy are most clearly similar in that both

A. are problem centered more than person centered
B. are holistic approaches
C. focus on conscious mental experience
D. use a businesslike approach to the patient

CORRECT ANSWER IS: focus on conscious mental experience

3174. QUESTION: Antipsychotic drugs work by _____ the activity of the neurotransmitter _____ in the brain

A. increasing; dopamine
B. decreasing; dopamine
C. increasing; serotonin
D. decreasing; serotonin

CORRECT ANSWER IS: decreasing; dopamine

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3175. QUESTION: Our early ancestors commonly attributed disordered behavior to

A. "bad blood"
B. evil spirits
C. brain injury
D. laziness

CORRECT ANSWER IS: evil spirits

3176. QUESTION: Nimra, who normally has no health complaints, has been experiencing numbness in her legs, which has prevented her from competing as a runner. Physicians have found no physical cause. She is probably suffering from

A. hypochondriasis
B. conversion disorder
C. major depression
D. generalized anxiety disorder

CORRECT ANSWER IS: conversion disorder

3177. QUESTION: Which type of psychotherapy focuses on changing unwanted behaviors rather than on discovering their underlying causes?

A. behavior therapy
B. cognitive therapy
C. humanistic therapy
D. psychoanalysis

CORRECT ANSWER IS: behavior therapy

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3178. QUESTION: "For you to think you are worthless because your parents criticize you is absurd! You're worthless only if you think you are." This statement would most likely to be made to a client by a _____ therapist.

A. rational-emotive
B. psychoanalytic
C. person-centered
D. behavior

CORRECT ANSWER IS: rational-emotive

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3179. QUESTION: Which of the following is best characterized in terms of a teacher-student relationship in that the therapist helps the client to recognize and correct faulty reasoning?

A. psychoanalysis
B. client-centered therapy
C. cognitive therapy
D. non-Freudian psychodynamic therapies

CORRECT ANSWER IS: cognitive therapy

3180. QUESTION: The standardization of mental-health information that is useful for clinical research or comparison of one client to another is best supplied by

A. projective tests
B. objective questionnaires
C. assessment interviews
D. free association

CORRECT ANSWER IS: objective questionnaires

3181. QUESTION: Electroconvulsive shock therapy (ECT), now administered in a way that is painless and safe, is generally reserved for _____ that has not responded to other therapies

A. major depression
B. schizophrenia
C. generalized anxiety disorder
D. obsessive compulsive disorder

CORRECT ANSWER IS: major depression

3182. QUESTION: The disorders that are most likely to involve states similar to hypnosis are

A. somatoform disorder
B. anxiety disorders
C. dissociative disorders
D. sleep disorders

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: dissociative disorders

3183. QUESTION: This is not a symptom of schizophrenia

A. inappropriate emotions
B. disturbed perceptions
C. panic attacks
D. disorganized

CORRECT ANSWER IS: panic attacks

3184. QUESTION: In which of the following does the client learn to associate a relaxed state with a hierarchy of anxiety-arousing situation?

A. rational-emotive therapy
B. aversive conditioning
C. counter-conditioning
D. systematic desensitization

CORRECT ANSWER IS: systematic desensitization

3185. QUESTION: Which of the following drugs is most likely to produce hallucinations?

A. heroin
B. nicotine
C. LSD
D. alcohol

CORRECT ANSWER IS: LSD

3186. QUESTION: The psychometric personality test most commonly used for clinical assessment is

A. Cattell's 16 PF questionnaire
B. Eysenck's Personality Inventory
C. the Minnesota Multiphasic Personality Inventory (MMPI)
D. the Thematic Appreciation Test

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: the Minnesota Multiphasic Personality Inventory (MMPI)

3187. QUESTION: Humanistic and cognitive therapy in differ in that humanistic therapy is _____ whereas cognitive therapy is _____

A. problem centered; client centered
B. based on research findings; based on observations
C. client centered; problem centered
D. not based on research findings; based on research findings

CORRECT ANSWER IS: client centered; problem centered

3188. QUESTION: Electroconvulsive shock therapy (ECT) can treat depression affectively and produce very little loss of conscious verbal memories if shock is applied

A. bilaterally
B. to the parietal lobes only
C. unilaterally to the left hemisphere
D. unilaterally to the right hemisphere

CORRECT ANSWER IS: unilaterally to the right hemisphere

3189. QUESTION: The mental disorder in which a person manifests two or more distinct identities at different times, switching back and forth from one identify to another, is called

A. schizophrenia
B. identity disorder
C. major depression
D. cyclothymia

CORRECT ANSWER IS: identity disorder

3190. QUESTION: Among the following, which is generally accepted as a possible cause of schizophrenia?

A. an excess of endorphins in the brain
B. being a twin

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C. a genetic predisposition
D. extensive learned helplessness

CORRECT ANSWER IS: a genetic predisposition

3191. QUESTION: The original purpose of the MMPI was to

A. provide an objective means of diagnosing mental disorders
B. measure correlations between mental disorder and particular personality traits
C. uncover unconscious thoughts and desires undisguised by defense
D. determine whether brain damage underlies certain patterns of mental disorder

CORRECT ANSWER IS: provide an objective means of diagnosing mental disorders

3192. QUESTION: Psychotherapy is likely to be most effective when a client's problem is

A. clear-cut and specific
B. the result of unconscious conflicts
C. longstanding and habitual
D. self-inflicted

CORRECT ANSWER IS: clear-cut and specific

3193. QUESTION: Which type of therapy focuses on eliminating irrational thinking?

A. Gestalt therapy
B. person-centered therapy
C. rational-emotive therapy
D. behavior therapy

CORRECT ANSWER IS: rational-emotive therapy

3194. QUESTION: The notion that people's irrational interpretations of their experience, rather than the objective experiences themselves, cause their negative emotions is the basic premise of

A. rational-emotive therapy
B. psychoanalysis

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C. behavior therapy
D. client-centered therapy

CORRECT ANSWER IS: rational-emotive therapy

3195. QUESTION: The modern discovery of hypnosis is generally attributed to

A. Freud
B. Mesmer
C. Spanos
D. Hilgard

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Mesmer

3196. QUESTION: If you were treating a client who wanted to overcome shyness, you might suggest a technique that would not only enhance the client's awareness of his or her behavior but perhaps motivate change. The most likely technique would be

A. the Halstead-Reitan battery
B. the MMPI
C. self-monitoring
D. a structural interview

CORRECT ANSWER IS: self-monitoring

3197. QUESTION: Schizophrenia usually appears for the first time in the affected individuals'

A. early childhood, but it can appear as late as adolescence
B. middle childhood, but it can appear as late as young adulthood
C. adolescence or young adulthood, but it can appear faster
D. adolescence, and virtually never appears later

CORRECT ANSWER IS: adolescence or young adulthood, but it can appear faster

3198. QUESTION: Asim has never been able to keep a joB. He's been in and out of jail for charges such as theft, sexual assault, and spousal abuse. Asim would most likely be diagnosed as having

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A. major depressive disorder
B. a dissociative identity disorders
C. schizophrenia
D. an antisocial personality

CORRECT ANSWER IS: an antisocial personality

3199. QUESTION: Which form of therapy is most likely to be successful in treating depression?

A. behavior therapy
B. psychoanalysis
C. cognitive therapy
D. humanistic therapy

CORRECT ANSWER IS: cognitive therapy

3200. QUESTION: Haroon is a 22-year-old mechanic who suffers from claustrophobiA. The most effective way to treat Haroon's problem would involve _____ therapy.

A. rational-emotive
B. psychoanalytic
C. person-centered
D. behavior

CORRECT ANSWER IS: behavior

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3201. QUESTION: In recent times, behavior therapy has become most closely merged with

A. psychoanalysis
B. cognitive therapy
C. humanistic therapy
D. drug therapy

CORRECT ANSWER IS: cognitive therapy

3202. QUESTION: According to Freud, dreams are

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A. a symbolic fulfillment of erotic wishes
B. the result of random neural activity in the brainstem
C. the brain's mechanisms for self-stimulation
D. transparent representations of the individual's conflicts

CORRECT ANSWER IS: a symbolic fulfillment of erotic wishes

3203. QUESTION: Which of the following includes tests of motor control, perception and cognition and is designed to provide clues about possible brain damage?

A. TAT
B. Rorschach
C. MMPI
D. Halstead-Reitan battery

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Halstead-Reitan battery

3204. QUESTION: Which of the following is not a symptom of schizophrenia?

A. delusions
B. dissociation
C. formal thought disturbance
D. social withdrawal

CORRECT ANSWER IS: dissociation

3205. QUESTION: During a session with the psychoanalyst, Jamal hesitates while describing a highly embarrassing thought. In the psychoanalytic framework, this is an example of

A. transference
B. insight
C. mental repression
D. resistance

CORRECT ANSWER IS: resistance

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3206. QUESTION: Ali is so preoccupied with staying clean that he showers as many as ten times each day. Ali would be diagnosed as suffering from a/an

A. dissociative disorder
B. generalized anxiety disorder
C. personality disorder
D. obsessive compulsive disorder

CORRECT ANSWER IS: obsessive compulsive disorder

3207. QUESTION: Psychopharmacology involves the study of how

A. diseases influence psychological well-being
B. exercise alleviates depression
C. drugs affect mental functioning and behavior
D. physical relaxation reduces anxiety

CORRECT ANSWER IS: drugs affect mental functioning and behavior

3208. QUESTION: Behavior therapy has proven especially successful in treating

A. simple phobias
B. depression
C. schizophrenia
D. conversion disorder

CORRECT ANSWER IS: simple phobias

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3209. QUESTION: According to Hilgard, hypnosis is

A. no different from a state of heightened motivation
B. a dissociation between different levels of consciousness
C. the same as dreaming
D. a hoax perpetrated by frauds

CORRECT ANSWER IS: a dissociation between different levels of consciousness

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3210. QUESTION: Any therapy based on the premise that psychological problems are manifestations of mental conflicts and that conscious awareness of those conflicts is the key to recovery is referred to as

A. psychoanalysis
B. a psychodynamic therapy
C. client-centered therapy
D. a cognitive therapy

CORRECT ANSWER IS: a psychodynamic therapy

3211. QUESTION: False beliefs held in the face of compelling evidence to the contrary are called _____ and are among the symptoms that most distinguish _____ from other disorders.

A. delusions; schizophrenia
B. hallucinations; schizophrenia
C. delusions; identity disorder
D. hallucinations; identity disorder

CORRECT ANSWER IS: delusions; schizophrenia

3212. QUESTION: Rubina occasionally experiences unpredictable episodes of intense dread accompanied by chest pains and a sensation of smothering. Since her symptoms have no apparent cause, they would probably be classified be classified as indicative of

A. schizophrenia
B. dissociative fugue
C. panic attack
D. post-traumatic stress disorder

CORRECT ANSWER IS: panic attack

3213. QUESTION: During psychoanalysis, Sonia has developed strong feeling of hatred for her therapist. The analyst interprets Sonia's behavior in terms of a _____ of her feelings toward her father

A. projection
B. regression
C. resistance
D. transference

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: transference

3214. QUESTION: Zakia's feelings of unhappiness, low self-esteem, and hopelessness have become so extreme that she has attempted suicide. Which of the following treatments is likely to provide her with the quickest relief from her misery?

A. electroconvulsive therapy
B. drug therapy
C. psychoanalysis
D. systematic desensitization

CORRECT ANSWER IS: electroconvulsive therapy

3215. QUESTION: Repeated exposure to a stimulus until the fear that accompanies it is no longer provoked is called _____ which is a technique in _____

A. counter-conditioning; behavior therapy
B. flooding; behavior therapy
C. counter-conditioning; rational-emotive therapy
D. flooding; rational-emotive therapy

CORRECT ANSWER IS: flooding; behavior therapy

3216. QUESTION: Amnesia, fugue, and identity disorder are all examples of _____ disorders

A. anxiety
B. mood
C. dissociative
D. personality

CORRECT ANSWER IS: dissociative

3217. QUESTION: Freud's principal technique for obtaining clues about a patient's unconscious memories was to give the patient specific cues and analyze the responses

A. hypnosis

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B. catharsis
C. free association
D. regression

CORRECT ANSWER IS: free association

3218. QUESTION: Saima believes that she hears spies asking her to carry out a mission for them. From which of the following symptoms of schizophrenia does this belief suggest she is suffering?

A. hallucination and delusion
B. formal thought disturbance
C. paraplegic
D. flattened affect

CORRECT ANSWER IS: hallucination and delusion

3219. QUESTION: In many movies, soap operas, and novels, the hero or heroine, who is under great stress, experiences a sudden loss of memory without having home or establishing a new identity. This is an example of

A. a dissociative disorder
B. dissociative fugue
C. dissociative amnesia
D. an anxiety disorder

CORRECT ANSWER IS: dissociative amnesia

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3220. QUESTION: Flooding, counter-conditioning and systematic desensitization can be classes together in the category of _____ treatments

A. cognitive
B. exposure
C. placebo
D. milieu

CORRECT ANSWER IS: exposure

3221. QUESTION: Various experts emphasize that there is no evidence that schizophrenia is caused by

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A. environmental influences
B. genetic influences
C. disturbances in the chemistry of the brain
D. disturbances in the neural circuitry of the brain

CORRECT ANSWER IS: environmental influences

3222. QUESTION: Given that Momina's therapist attempts to help her by offering genuineness, acceptance and empathy, she is probably practicing

A. behavior therapy
B. Gestalt therapy
C. cognitive therapy
D. person-centered therapy

CORRECT ANSWER IS: person-centered therapy

3223. QUESTION: The criteria for classifying behavior as psychologically disordered

A. vary from time to time
B. vary from culture to culture
C. are characterized by both a and b
D. have remained largely unchanged over the course of history

CORRECT ANSWER IS: are characterized by both a and b

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3224. QUESTION: Razia has been in psychoanalysis for 6 months. Lately, she has missed two appointments which she says she simply forgot. When she has come for sessions has spent in inordinate amount of time arguing with her analyst about trivial matters. According to psychoanalytic theory, Razia is probably experiencing

A. transference
B. resistance
C. catharsis
D. counter-conditioning

CORRECT ANSWER IS: resistance

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3225. QUESTION: An example of a negative symptom is schizophrenia would be

A. emotionlessness
B. delusions
C. Hallucinations
D. bizarre motor movements

CORRECT ANSWER IS: emotionlessness

3226. QUESTION: Of the following categories of psychotherapy, which is known for its nondirective nature?

A. psychoanalysis
B. humanistic therapy
C. behavior therapy
D. cognitive therapy

CORRECT ANSWER IS: humanistic therapy

3227. QUESTION: A behavior therapist would be most likely to treat a phobia by using

A. contingency contracting
B. transference
C. systematic desensitization
D. resistance

CORRECT ANSWER IS: systematic desensitization

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3228. QUESTION: A pattern of interrelated symptoms manifested by a given individual is referred to as

A. a syndrome
B. a disorder
C. a phenomenon
D. an impairment

CORRECT ANSWER IS: a syndrome

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3229. QUESTION: For which of the following phobias is a person most likely to see treatment?

A. fear of diseases
B. fear of spiders
C. fear of heights
D. fear of open places

CORRECT ANSWER IS: fear of open places

3230. QUESTION: Most mental health workers today take the view that disordered behaviors

A. are usually genetically triggered
B. arise from the interaction of nature and nurture
C. are organic diseases
D. are the product of learning

CORRECT ANSWER IS: arise from the interaction of nature and nurture

3231. QUESTION: According to Freud, patients often consciously experience strong feelings toward the therapist that are really feelings toward other significant people in their lives. Freud called this phenomenon ____ and considered it a _____

A. catharsis; nuisance
B. transference; nuisance
C. catharsis; route to an awareness of the origins of those feelings
D. transference; route to an awareness of the origins of those feelings

CORRECT ANSWER IS: transference; route to an awareness of the origins of those feelings

3232. QUESTION: According to the dopamine theory of schizophrenia

A. schizophrenic symptoms are associated with over-activity at synapses where dopamine is the neurotransmitter
B. drugs such as cocaine and amphetamines increase the activity of dopamine in the brain and can induce schizophrenia-like symptoms in people without disorder
C. the drug that reduces schizophrenic symptoms most dramatically is a selective dopamine blocker that has no effect on other neurotransmitter systems
D. a and b

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: a and b

3233. QUESTION: Systematic desensitization is classified as a type of

A. counter-conditioning
B. aversive treatment
C. exposure treatment
D. both a and c

CORRECT ANSWER IS: both a and c

3234. QUESTION: Which of the following types of therapy does not belong with the others

A. rational-emotive therapy
B. family therapy
C. self-help group
D. support group

CORRECT ANSWER IS: rational-emotive therapy

3235. QUESTION: A woman who has previously shown evidence of a mental disorder develops clinical depression following the loss of her joB. This event would be considered the _____ cause of her depression

A. predisposing
B. precipitating
C. maintaining
D. psychodynamic

CORRECT ANSWER IS: precipitating

3236. QUESTION: Nazia has sudden, unpredictable, unprovoked attacks of intense anxiety. She is most likely suffering from

A. panic disorder
B. agoraphobia
C. hypochondriasis
D. generalized anxiety disorder

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: panic disorder

3237. QUESTION: The affect of drugs that block receptors for dopamine is to

A. alleviate schizophrenia symptoms
B. increase schizophrenia symptoms
C. alleviate depression
D. increase depression

CORRECT ANSWER IS: alleviate schizophrenia symptoms

3238. QUESTION: The role of a psychoanalyst is most analogous to that of

A. a detective searching for clues and fitting them together
B. a friend providing unconditional warmth and acceptance
C. an engineer finding the optimal solution to a specific problem
D. a debater challenging irrational beliefs and assumptions

CORRECT ANSWER IS: a detective searching for clues and fitting them together

3239. QUESTION: Schizophrenia is associated with

A. an unusually high susceptibility to hypnosis
B. a breakdown in defenses against anxiety
C. poor selective attention or concentration
D. learned, pessimistic patterns of thinking

CORRECT ANSWER IS: poor selective attention or concentration

3240. QUESTION: The application of a painful or unpleasant stimulus immediately after the unwanted response or after cues that would normally bring on the response is a therapy technique called

A. flooding
B. a contingency contract
C. resistance
D. aversion treatment

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: aversion treatment

3241. QUESTION: The operant conditioning technique in which desired behaviors are rewarded with points or poker chips that can later be exchanged for various rewards is called

A. counter-conditioning
B. systematic desensitization
C. a token economy
D. rational-emotive therapy

CORRECT ANSWER IS: a token economy

3242. QUESTION: In the field of mental disorders, DMS refers to

A. a neurotransmitter system thought to underlie depression
B. a type of scan of brain area involved in mental disorders
C. a standardized system for labeling and diagnosing mental disorders
D. the genetic condition that predisposes some individuals to schizophrenia

CORRECT ANSWER IS: a standardized system for labeling and diagnosing mental disorders

3243. QUESTION: The difference between compulsive behavior such as gambling or eating, and the compulsions associated with OCD is that

A. compulsive gambler feel more anxiety
B. the individual has more ability to control or decease easting or gambling behavior
C. the compulsive gambler or eater experiences pleasure associated with the compulsive behavior
D. the compulsive eater or gambler feels more intense guilt about the behavior

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the compulsive gambler or eater experiences pleasure associated with the compulsive behavior

3244. QUESTION: Phobias and obsessive-compulsive behaviors are classified as

A. anxiety disorders
B. mood disorders
C. dissociative disorders

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D. personality disorders

CORRECT ANSWER IS: anxiety disorders

3245. QUESTION: The therapist's role is that of a compassionate, professional sounding board for the client's own ideas and emotions in

A. rational-emotive therapy
B. client-centered therapy
C. behavior therapy
D. a and b

CORRECT ANSWER IS: client-centered therapy

3246. QUESTION: In Europe during the Middle Ages and into the seventeenth century, people with serious mental disorders were generally considered be

A. physically ill beyond treatment
B. in league with the devil
C. faking their symptoms
D. divinely inspired and thus to be revered

CORRECT ANSWER IS: in league with the devil

3247. QUESTION: Zia has been trying to stop smoking. His therapist asks him to repeatedly reach for a cigarette and each time he does so, he is given a mild shock to the hanD. Zia's therapist is using

A. systematic desensitization
B. aversion treatment
C. extinction
D. counter-conditioning

CORRECT ANSWER IS: aversion treatment

3248. QUESTION: A person can derive benefits from psychotherapy simply by believing in it. This illustrates the importance of

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A. spontaneous remission
B. the placebo effect
C. the transference effect
D. interpretation

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the placebo effect

3249. QUESTION: An intense, irrational fear that is clearly related to a particular category of object or event is called a _____, the most common form of which is _____

A. phobia; a social phobia
B. phobia; a simple phobia
C. mania paranoia
D. panic; paranoia

CORRECT ANSWER IS: phobia; a simple phobia

3250. QUESTION: The underlying theme of dissociative disorders

A. escape from an aspect of life that causes distress or anxiety
B. a break from reality
C. irrational fears that cause intense anxiety
D. mood swings that create abnormal affective responses

CORRECT ANSWER IS: escape from an aspect of life that causes distress or anxiety

3251. QUESTION: According to the social-cognitive perspective, a person who experiences unexpected aversive events may develop helplessness and manifest a/an

A. dissociative disorder
B. obsessive-compulsive disorder
C. personality disorder
D. mood disorder

CORRECT ANSWER IS: mood disorder

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3252. QUESTION: In order to be helpful, the therapist must manifest empathy, positive regard, and genuineness, according to

A. Ellis's rational-emotive therapy
B. Freud's psychoanalytic therapy
C. Beck's cognitive therapy
D. Roger's client-centered therapy

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Roger's client-centered therapy

3253. QUESTION: In the United States, Dorothea Dix spearheaded the moral-treatment movement for the mentally disordereD. This movement led to

A. the attempt to deinstitutionalize people with mental disorders
B. the building of large state-supported asylums for people with mental disorders
C. the effort to separate children from abusive parents
D. the utilization of humanistic therapies in place of psychoanalytic treatment

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the building of large state-supported asylums for people with mental disorders

3254. QUESTION: The therapeutic technique that has generated the most controversy over its effectiveness and ethics is

A. systematic desensitization
B. assertiveness and social skill training
C. aversion treatment
D. rational-emotive therapy

CORRECT ANSWER IS: aversion treatment

3255. QUESTION: Carl Rogers was a _____ therapies who was the creator of _____ therapy

A. behavior, desensitization
B. psychoanalytic, insight
C. humanistic, person-centered
D. cognitive, rational-emotive

CORRECT ANSWER IS: humanistic, person-centered

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3256. QUESTION: A disturbing thought that intrudes repeatedly on a person's consciousness even though the person recognize it as irrational is called

A. a phobia
B. a compulsion
C. an obsession
D. a dissociation

CORRECT ANSWER IS: an obsession

3257. QUESTION: Personality disorders can be distinguished from other disorders on many grounds, but which of the following enables us to differentiate personality disorders from anxiety-based disorders? As opposed to anxiety-based disorders, personality disorders

A. are more commonly a reaction to frustration and stress
B. involve a long-standing history of symptoms
C. are usually identified by adolescence
D. involve some degree of loss of contact with reality

CORRECT ANSWER IS: are usually identified by adolescence

3258. QUESTION: Most of the hallucinations of schizophrenia patients involve the sense of

A. smell
B. vision
C. hearing
D. touch

CORRECT ANSWER IS: hearing

3259. QUESTION: In client-centered therapy, the therapist's attempt to understand what the client is saying or feeling at any given moment from the client's point of view is called _____ and is expressed by _____

A. sympathy; a warm and welcoming demeanor
B. empathy; reflecting back the client's expressed thoughts
C. positive regard; overt compliments
D. transference; role playing

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CORRECT ANSWER IS: empathy; reflecting back the client's expressed thoughts

3260. QUESTION: The community-based mental health movement that began in the United States in the 1960s intended to

A. expand hospital facilities for the care of the mentally ill
B. provide behavior therapy rather than psychotherapy
C. relocate institutionalized patients to farms where they could be productive
D. provide transitional homes and outpatient care so that mental patients could be reintegrated into society

CORRECT ANSWER IS: provide transitional homes and outpatient care so that mental patients could be reintegrated into society

3261. QUESTION: A token economy is a technique in _____ that involves the application of principles of _____

A. behavior therapy; operant conditioning
B. milieu therapy; social learning
C. behavior therapy; classical conditioning
D. group therapy; self-sufficiency and independence

CORRECT ANSWER IS: behavior therapy; operant conditioning

3262. QUESTION: Using technique of classical conditioning to develop an association between unwanted behavior and an unpleasant experience is known as

A. aversive conditioning
B. systematic desensitization
C. transference
D. electroconclusive therapy

CORRECT ANSWER IS: aversive conditioning

3263. QUESTION: A repetitive action, usually performed in response to a disturbing thought, that repeatedly intrudes on a person's consciousness is called

A. an obsession

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B. a phobia
C. a fugue
D. a compulsion

CORRECT ANSWER IS: a compulsion

3264. QUESTION: Which of the following statements concerning schizophrenic patients is true?

A. they are usually colorless, socially withdrawn, and not at all dangerous
B. they usually exhibit wild, crazed behavior, and may be violent
C. even though they may be having delusions, they are usually able to communicate clearly
D. the most common effect is extreme moods, either mania or depression

CORRECT ANSWER IS: they are usually colorless, socially withdrawn, and not at all dangerous

3265. QUESTION: In client-centered therapy, positive regard refers to the therapist's expression of

A. control over the client
B. friendliness toward the client
C. approval for what the clients says and does
D. faith in the client's capacity to make good decisions

CORRECT ANSWER IS: faith in the client's capacity to make good decisions

3266. QUESTION: Which type of mental health professional is the only one permitted to prescribe drugs?

A. psychiatrists
B. clinical psychologists
C. counseling psychologists
D. both a and b

CORRECT ANSWER IS: psychiatrists

3267. QUESTION: In treating depression, a psychiatrist would probably prescribe a drug that would

A. increase levels of acetylcholine
B. decrease levels of dopamine

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C. increase levels of norepinephrine
D. decrease levels of serotonin

CORRECT ANSWER IS: increase levels of norepinephrine

3268. QUESTION: Albert Bandura has shown that people can overcome snake or spider phobias by watching other people handle the feared creature before trying it themselves. This illustrates the effectiveness of

A. social skills training
B. assertiveness
C. aversion treatment
D. modeling

CORRECT ANSWER IS: modeling

3269. QUESTION: An individual chronically experiencing moderate depressive symptoms over a two-year or longer period would be diagnosed as suffering from

A. major depression
B. dysthymia
C. cyclothymia
D. double depression

CORRECT ANSWER IS: dysthymia

3270. QUESTION: Factors such as an excess of dopamine, normal brain configuration, severe disruptions early in family life and a relatively good response to treatment are correlated to _____ schizophrenia

A. reactive
B. process
C. positive
D. negative

CORRECT ANSWER IS: positive

3271. QUESTION: Which of the following therapists may also be a psychoanalyst?

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A. clinical social worker
B. licensed professional counselor
C. psychiatrist
D. pastoral counselor

CORRECT ANSWER IS: psychiatrist

3272. QUESTION: Which of the following therapies was made popular by Albert Ellis?

A. psychoanalysis
B. client-centered therapy
C. rational-emotive therapy
D. cognitive therapy

CORRECT ANSWER IS: rational-emotive therapy

3273. QUESTION: Two related assumptions guide the course of much family therapy. One assumption views each family member as a part of a system, while the other assumption stresses

A. an even distribution of power and control
B. mutual attempts at reinforcing appropriate behaviors
C. the extent to which one's happiness depends on the other members of the family group
D. a concern for improved, open, and honest communication among family members

CORRECT ANSWER IS: a concern for improved, open, and honest communication among family members

3274. QUESTION: Everything else being equal, which person will have the greatest chance of being diagnosed with schizophrenia?

A. someone who knows and interacts with many schizophrenics on a regular basis
B. someone who has an identical twin diagnosed as having the disorder
C. someone with abnormally large ventricles in their cerebral cortex
D. someone whose mother is generally cold, aloof, and ineffectiveness

CORRECT ANSWER IS: someone who has an identical twin diagnosed as having the disorder

3275. QUESTION: Bipolar disorder is

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A. a severe form of depression
B. best treated by Valium
C. characterized by episodes of depression and mania
D. a more recent term for depression

CORRECT ANSWER IS: characterized by episodes of depression and mania

3276. QUESTION: The frequency of the use of ECT has been reduced due to

A. the development of drug therapies
B. legal restrictions
C. the negative reputation of side effects
D. its general ineffectiveness

CORRECT ANSWER IS: the development of drug therapies

3277. QUESTION: Ruby's father wants to help him get over his fear of the water, so he takes him to the local pool and gets into the water with him and will not let him out. This is an example of

A. systematic desensitization
B. flooding
C. aversion therapy
D. parent training

CORRECT ANSWER IS: flooding

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3278. QUESTION: One advantage of group therapy is saving

A. money
B. time
C. energy
D. research

CORRECT ANSWER IS: money

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3279. QUESTION: Which of the following therapies is associated with unconditional positive regard and a nondirective approach by the therapist?

A. psychoanalysis
B. client-centered therapy
C. rational-emotive therapy
D. cognitive therapy

CORRECT ANSWER IS: client-centered therapy

3280. QUESTION: The _____ type of schizophrenia is characterized by absurd, illogical and changeable delusions, often accompanied by hallucinations resulting in severe impairment of judgement

A. undifferentiated
B. residual
C. catatonic
D. paranoid

CORRECT ANSWER IS: paranoid

3281. QUESTION: Which of the following is not a correct match?

A. Freud-psychoanalysis
B. Rogers-client-centered therapy
C. Bandura-modeling
D. Beck-rational-emotive therapy

CORRECT ANSWER IS: Beck-rational-emotive therapy

3282. QUESTION: Zia went to a smoking cessation clinic where they had him chain smoke until he became ill. This would be an example of

A. systematic desensitization
B. flooding
C. aversive therapy
D. parent training

CORRECT ANSWER IS: aversive therapy

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3283. QUESTION: The _____ type of schizophrenia usually involves the most severe disintegration of personality

A. catatonic
B. paranoid
C. disorganized
D. undifferentiated

CORRECT ANSWER IS: disorganized

3284. QUESTION: Which of the following defense mechanisms relates to the analyst's feelings towards the patient?

A. sublimation
B. projection
C. transference
D. counter-transference

CORRECT ANSWER IS: counter-transference

3285. QUESTION: Which of the following is not associated with Freudian psychoanalysis?

A. free association
B. empathy
C. manifest dream content
D. transference

CORRECT ANSWER IS: empathy

3286. QUESTION: Albert Bandura is associated with the behavior therapy approach known as

A. contingency management
B. flooding
C. implosive therapy
D. modeling

CORRECT ANSWER IS: modeling

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3287. QUESTION: _____ is the neurotransmitter associated with schizophrenia

A. dopamine
B. acetylcholine
C. epinephrine
D. amphetamine

CORRECT ANSWER IS: dopamine

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